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Weather

Fine and hot. The maximum temperature yesterday was 92.7 and the minimum 77.0, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 94.3 and 73.2.

The Mail Box

MAILS for U. S. and Europe, Str. Emp. of Canada, July 30.
FROM U, S. and Europe. Str. E. of Russia, 3.30 p.m. tomorrow.
FOR Europe via Suez, Str. Kashima Maru, 9 p.m. tomorrow.
FROM Europe via Suez, Str. Macedonia, July 30.

Peking Day By Day

BY "QUI VIVE"

Peking, July 23.—A little more than a score of centuries ago there was a hully good reporter and publicity merchant, one Mr. Ulysses by name, who set the town by the ears by publishing a string of article purporting to be his adventures, while wandering around the world. He turned out some mighty readable stuff in his day, particularly the one about being caught in an open fishing smack, with the tide running out, and being scared stiff that his "fragile craft would collide with two big rocks, Scylla and Chrybdis, by name" and that all hands would be washed overboard, an event which would require his playing solitaire for the rest of the voyage. It's bac enough having to play solitaire by your own vine and fig tree, but consider the reporter's plight, of being forced to play solitaire—"a playing of destiny"—until he hit the next inhabited island.

Ulysses was also equipped with a twelve cylinder imagination. He introduced some "sex stuff" just to make his tale spicy—and I suppose saleable—and told about the most wonderful maidens, (the modern "fragiles" I suppose) who tried their best to entice him to wreck his frail craft on one or t'other of the aforementioned rocks.

But the thought of the long lonely weeks ahead of solitaire, particularly if he let the cook, bo'sun and Skipper be washed overboard, had a sobering influence, so he stuffed his ears with sealingwax, put on his darkest goggles, crowded on all sail, promised another flock of Dhrachmas to his No. 1 Trireme Boss and slipped past the danger point quietly, and, according to his own version, unostentatiously, to the placidity of smooth waters beyond. Not until the rocks were "hull down on the horizon" did he remove his dark glasses and venture a look astern, and even then the Captain informed him that the Siren's refrain, "of an amazing sweetness," could still be heard.

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Ulysses' job was in many respects a sinecure compared to the dilemma in which Mr. Wang Keh-min, the president candidate for the Ministry of Finance of the Chinese Republic finds himself. Mr. Wang, literarily speaking, has been hoist by his own petard—or something like that—since whatever decision he makes anent his acceptance or declination of the portfolio, it is sure to give great offense. If he accepts, the shareholders of the Bank of China, of which he is still Governor, will give him no co-operation and if he does not accept, Marshal Tsao Kun, the No. 1 Boss of the Chihli party, is through with him forever.

In other words any political aspirations which Mr. Wang may cherish for his future aggrandisement, will be as dead as the antique and buried egg, whereas on the other hand, if he does accept, his aims probably will be crushed by the directors of the bank, since without the support of the Bank, any Finance Minister might "just as well pack up his dishes and go home."

Quintus Horatius Flaccus, that noble sage and philosopher who lived several centuries after Ulysses uttered a net paragraph by remarking, "Follow the Golden Mean, swerve neither to the right nor to the left."

Those who are in a position to know aver that Mr. Wang is burning the midnight oil, vainly seeking the "Golden Mean," or the magic goggles and sound proof sealingwax used by Mr. Ulysses under parallel circumstances. According to the latest reports received by your correspondent, Mr. Wang had not discovered any of the aforementioned panaceas.

Last night he gave a Ding Hau Proper Number One Banquet at Machang, to all the leading financiers in China, but what if anything developed at the banquet, except heavy eating and recriminations, has not been divulged. Up to a late hour this morning the waiters had not been interviewed—they were worn out from their labors of the night previous.

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"Like flickering fragile shapes
They come and go.
A moment's respite on this
earth below.
Then onward—to oblivion."

Just before a ship founders just before the Captain dives overboard with his ship's log in one hand and a tin of sardines in the other, the clever little white mice, the mascots of every well appointed ship prefer to seek safety on the foam flecked sea, rather than trust to certain death and a last meal, unhindered

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Finnish Engineer Sentenced To Year And Ten Months For Arms Smuggling Up River

Report Foreigner Was Not Given Chance Of Defending Himself—Capt. Synnerberg, Finn Consul Here, To Investigate

Alexander Hjeldt, a Finnish engineer on the China Merchants' s.s. Kianghsin, has been sentenced to a year and ten months imprisonment in a Chinese jail at Wuchang after having been found guilty of smuggling arms by the military authorities there.

According to information received in Shanghai Hjeldt was 'rail-roaded' by the Chinese authorities at Wuchang without being given an opportunity of communicating with anyone on the outside, and now that he has been sentenced to a long jail term has succeeded in getting information to the outside and has written to his brother in Shanghai in an attempt to secure assistance through Captain G. Synnerberg, the Finnish Consul.

Capt. Synnerberg, interviewed by a representative of THE CHINA PRESS last night, said he had received no information concerning Hjeldt, but that he would immediately communicate with the Chinese Government and the Finnish Foreign Office in an attempt to have an investigation of the case made.

The question is a delicate one because at the present time there are no treaties existing between Finland and China which will cover the arrest of Finnish subjects and their trial by any but a Chinese court, being placed in the same category as Russians, who have had their extraterritoriality rights withdrawn.

BROTHER HERE

Hjeldt's brother, Oscar Hjeldt, is employed as a chauffeur by the post office department here and Hjeldt has written him for assistance in getting in touch with Capt. Synnerberg and place his case before him for a thorough investigation by Consular officials. Hjeldt interviewed in prison by a correspondent of the Independent News Service, claims that he has been working as an engineer on the s.s. Kianghsin for the past four years and has never been in trouble of any kind. He asserts his innocence of the gun smuggling charge emphatically, claiming that it is either a terribly grotesque mistake or a 'frame-up.'

HJELDT'S STORY

"On June 26 when the Kianghsin came to Hankow," Hjeldt said, "there were no guns or any kind in my cabin. After the steamer docked at the hulk a Russian, who was lame and limped when he walked, came to me and told me that he was unable to carry his luggage ashore on account of his lameness and asked me to keep it in my cabin until he could send someone for it. I allowed him to place the things in my room without investigating the contents and the first I knew that the baggage supposedly contained guns was when the Customs officials are supposed to have found them.

"I tried to locate the Russian who had left the things but he had disappeared and I have not seen him since. The suggestion that I am in any way implicated in the alleged smuggling cases now before the public in Shanghai is entirely false. I have never carried arms of any kind.

Hjeldt asserted that the statement said to have been made by the cabin boy that he had carried the arms to Hankow from Shanghai is entirely untrue, and he does not understand why the cabin boy made such a statement unless it was forced from him to secure his own freedom. The cabin boy, who was also arrested at that time, has since been released.

MOCK TRIAL

Hjeldt's sweetheart and fiance, a Russian girl, is his only acquaintance in Hankow and although she has been allowed to take him a few necessities since his conviction she was not allowed to see him before his trial. Hjeldt claims that no one was allowed to see him on any pretext before his trial and that he was unable to communicate with anyone on the outside to get a lawyer to defend him. He was convicted, he says, from the moment of his arrest and the trial was merely a formality.

According to the Chief of Staff of the Military Yamen at Wuchang Hjeldt could have been released on parole before sentence was passed if some friend had come forward to guarantee his good behavior.

"We don't like to have foreign prisoners in our jail," the Chief of Staff said, "but now that he has been convicted he will have to serve his time."

PRISON CONDITION GOOD

The prison in which Hjeldt is kept is not by any means a dungeon, and he is accorded good Chinese food, of which he said he is tired, and sends out to buy bread which his own small funds occasionally. The total sum of money he has is $80 but he expects to get more soon, as he declares that the China Merchants owes him his June salary. He is kept in a large room as good as that of the officers at the yamen, and is allowed freedom of the courtyard most of the time. His great complaint is that he has nothing to do, and since he cannot read English he wishes someone would send him Finnish or Swedish books. No newspapers are allowed into the hands of the prisoners.

The Chief of Staff is of the opinion that the guns which were confiscated were destined to Governor Chao Heng-ti of Changsha, and that practically all the arms which smugglers are attempting to get through Hankow now are bound for Hunan and not Szechuen as was previous thought by most people. The impending crisis between Chao Heng-ti and his Kuomintang enemies in Western Hunan necessitates a large supply of arms, and on account of the menacing attitude of the Western Hunan Independence movement under Tsai Chu-yao. Governor Chao is doing his best to get smuggled up to Changsha in time to curb that movement. It is also highly probable that part of the arms has been ordered by the insurgent troops in Western Hunan who are working in harmony with Dr. Sun Yat-sen in south China.

THREE SEAMEN GIVEN 15 DAYS FOR ASSAULT

Connor, Filen And Hanson "Beat Up" Greek In Boone Road

James E. Filen, William Connor and Chris Hanson, unemployed seamen living at the Wayport Rooms, were found guilty of having assaulted Tony Anosta, an unemployed Greek seaman, before Judge Charles S. Lobingier in the United States Court for China yesterday and sentenced to 15 days imprisonment each.

The three were prosecuted by District Attorney Husar on the charge that following an argument over a card game in the Hanbury Institute in which the Greek won, they and Dick Heddon, an Argentinian who has already been sentenced to one month in jail in the Mixed Court, followed the Greek to Boone Road and assaulted him. The prosecuting witness and several others testified as to the facts.

Filen and Hanson testified in their own behalf and were backed up by two others who also live at the Wayport Rooms. They asserted that the Greek had beaten up Filen without provocation and that when they asked him why he had become so belligerent he had drawn a knife and gone for them. They merely defended themselves, they asserted.

Inspector MacKenzie appeared on behalf of the Municipal Police and assisted Mr. Husar.

French Get Around German Objection

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, July 24.—The German Government having refused to permit French and Belgian civil aeroplanes to fly over German territory in the forthcoming Amsterdam to Gothenburg air race, the French Government will send military aeroplanes which are authorised by the Treaty of Versailles.

Sun Reported Negotiating For Silk Loan

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, July 25.—It is reported from Canton that Dr. Sun Yat-sen is negotiating with foreigners for a loan based on the security of the silk tax, which yields from $2,000,000 to $3,000,000 annually. It is understood that Peking will enter a protest.

MARCONI CO. AND BRITAIN AGREE TO DIVIDE PROFITS

Three Stations To Be Constructed Immediately, Announcement

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 24.—Introducing the Post Office estimates in the House of Commons today, Sir Laming Worthington-Evans, the Postmaster-General, stated that the principal terms agreed on with the Marconi Company for the Empire wireless service were as follows:

The Marconi Company at the outset will provide two stations and the Government one, apart from the existing stations at Leafield and Carnarvon.

The revenue from the stations will be pooled and divided between the Government and the Company in proportion.

Effective power stations will be contributed by each.

Goverment operators will work the whole of the services and a proportionate part of the cost will be charged against the Company.

Rates, when possible, will be lower than cable rates.

The Government is empowered to admit other parties to the pool, if satisfied that they are able to provide an equally efficient station, and to license other parties to conduct wireless services without admitting them to the pool.

The Government is also empowered to expropriate probably at the end of the first 10 years and subsequently.

Replying to criticism the Postmaster-General said that in one sense there had been a reversal of the Government's wireless policy, but the change had not been so great as suggested. It was originally intended that the Government alone should deal with Empire wireless matters at this end, but it was thought at the time that the Dominions Governments would also establish their own stations. Australia and South Africa had not followed that course and when the Dominion Governments changed their policy, the British Government had to follow suit. It was for Australia and South Africa to do as Britain was doing to prevent the creation of a monopoly by maintaining control.

Replying to an inquiry, Sir L. Worthington-Evans said that the duration of the proposed contract with the Marconi Company would be 25 years, subject to powers of expropriation.

The Post Office vote was agreed to.

BALDWIN CITES FACTS TO PROVE BRITISH PROGRESS

Hopes His Offer To Allies On Reparations Will Be Accepted

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 24.—Speaking at a bankers' dinner tonight, Mr. Baldwin dwelt on Britain's achievements in restoring her finances. He stated that the floating debt had been reduced from £1,500,000,000 to £800,000,000 and all foreign debts had been paid, except the American debt. Government officials numbered only ten percent above the pre-war total in spite of the creation of new departments.

Continuing, the Prime Minister said that Britain had just made an offer to the Allies proposing first steps towards a settlement and conceived in such a spirit that he hoped for its ultimate success. He would leave nothing undone to achieve a settlement.

TURK PEACE PACT SIGNED; YUGO-SLAVIA HOLDS ALOOF

Latter Country Asks Three Months To Consider

DELEGATES DINED

Lausanne Celebrates With Bells And Flag Waving

(Reuter's Service)

Lausanne, July 24.—The Lausanne Peace Treaty was signed this afternoon.

No fewer than eighteen documents were signed in connection with the establishment of peace between the Turks and the Allies, comprising, besides the Treaty of Peace and the Straits Convention, the Thracian frontiers, judicial and commercial conventions and various declarations and protocols.

The only discordant note was Yugo-Slavia abstaining from signing the Peace Treaty on the ground that the portion of the Turkish debt devolving on Yugo-Slavia was excessive and asking for three months to consider the matter.

The signature of peace was celebrated in advance by a banquet to the Conference delegates by the Swiss Federal Council at the Lausanne Palace Hotel, where simultaneously with serving the champagne the word "Paix" suddenly appeared on the roof in illuminated letters. The square facing the University, where the Peace Treaty was signed, was transformed into an English garden and was decorated with flags. The [illegible] and the hoisting of flags on all public buildings. There was a display of illuminations in the evening on the heights surrounding Lausanne.

Addressing the delegates to the Conference at its final session, Dr. Scheurer, the Swiss President, said that the whole world was grateful to them for overcoming great obstacles by wisdom and good-will. He hoped that the peoples of the Near East, who had played a great part in the development of civilisation, would again confer benefits on humanity.

(Reuter's Service)

Constantinople, July 24.—Today is being observed as a public holiday in honor of the signing of peace. The town is beflagged. Shops are closed. Processions, headed by bands, are perambulating the streets. A salute of a hundred-and-one guns was fired this afternoon. There were illuminations and torchlight processions this evening.

TURKISH VICTORY SEEN BY PRESS IN LAUSANNE TREATY

British, French And American Papers Proclaim Allied Defeat

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 25.—Commenting on the Lausanne Treaty, the Times says that the Treaty is comparatively a model of generosity and justice.

The Times and the Daily Telegraph are anxious with regard to the use Turkey will make of her independence especially in view of the anti-foreign feeling in Turkey. The Daily Chronicle speaks of a Turkish victory.

Reuter's correspondent in Paris telegraphs that Le Journal states that the treaty leaves in suspense several serious questions for which each country must find a solution.

The Gaulois says that France must take advantage of the truce to settle with Turkey questions interesting her.

The Echo de Paris declares that the Treaty amounts to an Allied defeat.

Reuter's New York correspondent telegraphs that the New York Times declares that the Great Powers have been beaten by the Turks.

The New York World also speaks of a Turkish victory.

-:- The Yangtsze Chief -:-

Wu Pei-fu, Inspector-General of two provinces, and Deputy Inspector-General of three others, as well as conqueror of Chang Tso-lin, and one of China's dominant figures.

General Wu Pei-fu Says He Will Not Recognise An Illegally Elected President

BY JUNIUS B. WOOD

Loyang Marshal Wu Pei-fu [illegible] recognise as president [illegible] elected by parliament, characterises the proposal of Sir Robert Hotung of Hongkong for a conference of the rival Chinese factions as "rather ridiculous," and considers London's program for a foreign officered railroad gendarmerie as embarrassing to the Chinese people and bound to create antagonism between China and Great Britain. These are a few of this active militarist's views on the important problems now vexing China and the capitals of other world powers. Wu Pei-fu, representative of the Ti Shih Pao of Tientsin, Ariel [illegible] charges, photographer of the International News of New York, and Junius B. Wood, correspondent of the Chicago Daily News, were among the visitors entertained by the marshal at his Loyang headquarters, last Wednesday, his fiftieth birthday anniversary.

Wang Keh-min who had come to Loyang to discuss with the marshal whether he should accept the portfolio of minister of finance departed on a special train on the evening of their arrival and General J.W.N. Munthe came on another special train on the following day for a conference regarding the policing of the railroads.

Marshal Wu was extremely frank in expressing his opinions and discussing the various phases of China's domestic and international problems. Out of the many questions asked, here was not a single one which he ignored or evaded in answering. His views may be considered final so far as military strength is necessary to carry out the programs of the Chihli pary.

"Whoever is legally elected president of China by Parliament will be recognised by me," he said. "Parliament is the supreme legislative power for the entire republic. The provincial authorities and the Military authorities as well, should leave it free to do its work. Everything is in the hands of Parliament. I will not recognise who is not legally elected."

"Does that mean you would not recognise Marshal Tsao Kun if he should be proclaimed president by other methods?" he was asked.

"It is not likely that Marshal Tsao would be a party to any such irregular proceeding," declared Marshal Wu.

"The Chihli party is like a family," he continued with a smile, explaining the general answer. "Marshal Tsao may be considered the father and I might be called the oldest son. There are also other sons. Some of these sons seem to believe that they can take their father by force to Peking and put him in the president's chair. That is not Marshal Tsao's idea nor is it my idea. We are playing practically no role in the present campaign at Peking."

Marshal Wu said that, aside from newspaper reports whose accuracy he had doubted, the first authoritative word he received of President Li Yuan-hung's departure from Peking and resignation was a telegram from the latter, five days after he had arrived in Tientsin. He was kept

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FOREIGNER SLIPS TO HIS DEATH ON BATHROOM FLOOR

Edwin Linkhorst Found Dead At 59 Range Road Yesterday

After having apparently slipped on the slippery floor of the bathroom Edwin Linkhorst, 55, a book-binder employed at the A. B. C. Press, 0-434 Kiukiang Road, was found dead in the bathroom at 59 Range Road yesterday morning shortly after 8 o'clock.

The body was found by a Chinese boy employed by Mr. Peter Poskiaoff, the boarding house keeper.

The house boy took coffee to the room at 7.30 a.m., and found the door ajar and the occupant out. He then went to the bath room and found the door locked. At 8 o'clock the servant again went to the bath room, and finding the door still locked, climbed up and looking through the window over the door, discovered the body lying on the floor with his head against the door.

The Police were notified, and the body taken to the Shanghai Municipal Public Mortuary where a post-mortem examination was performed, and it was found that the man had died from ruptured spleen.

The deceased is believed to have slipped and fallen on the bath room floor and thus sustained the injury which instantly caused his death.

He is supposedly an American citizen, from Chicago, Ill., although he is not registered at the American Consulate here.

Inspector MacKenzie of the Municipal Police and an official from the American Consulate are investigating.

KEARNEY IS HELD ON $5,000 GOLD BAIL ON ARMS CHARGE

Unable To Raise Money Pending Hearing

PROTECTED?

Fessenden And Holcomb Named Special Prosecutors

Capt. L. D. Kearney was held in G.$5,000 bail when he was charged with importing and keeping arms and ammunition in violation of the treaties of 1844 and 1858 between China and the United States when he appeared before U. S. Commissioner Lurton yesterday afternoon. He was unable to raise that amount and is consequently held in the United States jail pending his preliminary hearing. The date of the preliminary hearing was left open to be set after agreement between counsel for the prosecution and the defense.

At the same time U. S. District Attorney Husar announced that Mr. Stirling Fessenden, dean of the American bar, and Major Chauncey P. Holcomb would be associated with the prosecution in the arms cases against Capt. Kearney, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Stein and 'Mal' Maloney as Special Prosecutors. Williams, Franklin and Faison appeared for the defense in Capt. Kearney's case.

FIGHT OVER BAIL

As soon as the case was called Mr. Husar asked that bail be set in the sum of G.$5,000. Mr. C. S. Franklin, appearing for Kearney, immediately objected, citing the Stein and Maloney cases, in which the bail was set at G.$500, as identical cases on the same charges.

"Surely," Mr. Franklin said "there is no object in holding Capt. Kearney on such high bail when these other able bodied persons are out on much less. Capt. Kearney is 61 years old and unfortunately has two artificial legs. In addition to his physical infirmities he voluntarily gave himself up to Deputy Marshal Van Buskirk at Chinghai after the Chinese, who had been holding him prisoner on board a junk, had allowed him to go."

Mr. Husar objected to Mr. Franklin's version of the arrest.

"The object of bail," he said, "is to hold the accused so that he will appear for trial. We have been searching for Kearney for several weeks and have spent considerable money in the search. Kearney did not give himself up voluntarily—at least it was not mentally voluntary. The protection which has been afforded him by certain Chinese in Chekiang had been withdrawn and there was nothing for Kearney to do but to submit to arrest. We insist upon high bail because we have no guarantee that that protection will not be afforded him again.

Mr. Lurton set the bail at G.$5,000 and when Mr. Franklin said Kearney could not raise the bail did not set the date of the preliminary hearing.

Kearney was brought to Shanghai from Chinghai, where he was arrested by Deputy Marshal Van Buskirk yesterday morning on the s.s. Hsin Peking. The courtroom was packed for the hearing.

Dr. Frank Crane Addresses Rotary Tiffin Today

Dr. Frank Crane, the noted American syndicate editorial writer, who is visiting the Far East, will be the speaker before the regular Thursday tiffin of the Rotary Club today.

Dr. Crane will speak on "The Rise of The Modern Business Man." The meeting will be held at the Astor House and is an open meeting at which members are invited to bring guests.

Refugee Relief Advisory Body Meeting Today

A meeting of the Refugee Relief Advisory Committee will be held this afternoon at 5:15 o'clock in the Charity Organisation rooms, 5A North Soochow Road.

PEKING HOPES TO BRIBE M. P'S TO CONTINUE WORK

Has $300,000 Fund For That Purpose, Is Report

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, July 22.—According to some reports Marshal Tsao Kun sent a telegram to Parliament yesterday urging its members to complete the constitution as soon as possible. In other quarters, however, it is stated that this telegram was only drafted but not sent. The telegram in any case is not thought likely to have much effect on the situation, for the last 14 meetings have failed to form a quorum, so the work of constitution drafting is not proceeding at all. At the same time it is understood that the Members who have attended these meetings have on every occasion drawn their $20 each for attendance and thus between them have pocketed considerably over $100,000 without any advantage to the country or even to any political party.

The Government in addition to the money already paid to the Members of Parliament for attending meetings where no business has been transacted is now said to be ready to furnish Parliament with another $300,000 in a few days.

The Government authorities profess to expect that by this means they will induce members to attend in sufficient numbers this week to continue both the constitution drafting and ordinary business.

The report given recently from a semi-official source that Mr. Lu Cheng-hsiang was on his way home from Switzerland is now denied in other semi-official sources. It is stated that he contemplates coming but has not yet started.

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, July 25.—The House of Representatives was again without a quorum at its meeting today.

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, July 25.—The Ministry of Education proposes that from July 1 the Salt Surplus, amounting to $25,000 shall be retained as security for a small loan in the interests of the eight Government schools.

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, July 25.—Chinese circles report that the Mongolian nobles are combining against the Chakhancha Hutukhtu, one of the Living Buddhas of Outer Mongolia and Premier of the Urga Government.

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, July 25.—It is understood that the Cabinet has handed back Mr. Wang Keh-min's resignation but it is not believed that he will accept the Finance portfolio.

(*Eastern News Agency*)

Peking, July 24.—With reference to the assumption of office by Dr. Wellington Koo as the Minister of Foreign Affairs, in the course of its editorial, the Peking Daily News today states that Dr. Koo's entry into the Cabinet has strengthened the foundation of the present Cabinet and adds that the announcement he made in his circular telegram points out that he is determined to do his best for the maintenance of China's international position and to lead the diplomacy of the Chinese Government regardless of the policy of any political party. This is a matter, the journal concludes, which appeals to the minds of the Chinese people.

The Chen Pao, belonging to the Yen Chin Hsi Party, in its leading article today, writes in the main as follows:

Dr. Wellington Koo, in undertaking to take up the duty of reconstructing the Chang Shao-tseng Cabinet, must have something up his sleeve. The fact that in the course of his circular telegram he declares that he has an intention to exercise the power vested with him by the law and to maintain the international position of China is very ridiculous, because the international standing of a country can never be maintained nor promoted by a single person. That the Paris and Washington Conferences have turned out favorable to China was due to the popular support of the Chinese people. Dr. Koo is therefore greatly wrong when he attributes the favorable results of these Conferences to his own merit.

The fact that upon his assumption of the portfolio of the Minister of Foreign Affairs he made such an announcement without refering to the internal affairs of China plainly shows that he is not conscious of the joint responsibility for the domestic affairs as one of the Minister of the Chang Shao-tseng Cabinet.

What certain political circles want to expect from Dr. Koo is to make him play an active part in China's diplomatic affairs and it is easy to fortell that he fancies himself to be most fit for the post when he has assumed the portfolio of the Minister of Affairs. Will he be able to fulfill his duties well without taking heed of the domestic affairs? Now that he has already undertaken the post, it would be useless to give an advice as abovementioned to him. In the meantime, we want to give him the following precautions:

In the first place, with regard to the "gold franc" question, he should by no means yield to the assertion of the French Government. Secondly, pending the revival of Parliament, he should not conclude any foreign loan nor enter into any agreement for the postponement of foreign loans already concluded.

The Modern Version Of "The Crossing The Line" Ceremony

—*Brown in Chicago Daily News.*

Summer Schools Crowded With Eager Students

(*China Press Correspondence*)

Nanking, July 24.—Nanking during the past few days has had an opportunity of reviewing ancient history in the days when the old Examination Halls were crowded with thousands of students from all parts of the empire.

Within the past few days South-Eastern University has conducted its first-half year entrance examinations at which students from over 1,000 middle schools competed. The first Normal School for Girls and the First Middle School also held their entrance examinations on July 17 and 18 at which more than one thousand students took examinations. The Middle School of South-Eastern 'U' also held examinations for 1,200 students.

Summer schools in Nanking are very prosperous. In addition to the summer school of the South-Eastern 'U' where 1,100 students are enrolled 300 are taking the summer course at Nanking University. There are nearly 20 other summer schools.

BIG DECREASE IN CRIMINAL CASES AT MIXED COURT

The number of criminal cases before the Mixed Court during the first half of this year is 39,542, as compared with 50,301 for the similar period in 1922, according to the June report of the Acting Registrar in today's Municipal Gazette.

This decrease of 10,759 is chiefly due to the decrease of 8,600 odd under the heading of "Richshas." The other important decreases are: Manslaughter by 13, Kidnapping by 10, Burglary by 29, Embezzlement by 23, Extortion by 46, Forgery by 24, Robbery by 86, Opium by 45, Gambling by 958 and various decreases in offences of a public nature and breaches of the Bye laws and Regulations.

The more important increases are: Abduction by 20, which is more than double, Larceny by 284, Motor Cars by 168, Lotteries by 66, Traffic by 255, Contempt of Court by 20, and Loitering with Intent by 56.

Australia Wants Empire Trade On Reciprocal Basis

(*Reuter's Service*)

Melbourne, July 24.—In the House of Representatives today Mr. S. M. Bruce, the Prime Minister explaining the Government's policy with regard to the Imperial Conference, urged that the Dominions should be allowed to endorse British foreign policy before it became Empire policy. The question of allowing the Dominions to make treaties on their own behalf should be considered. Australia was prepared to contribute towards an Empire naval unit but she would not consent to depend entirely on the central unit. Mr. Bruce contended that the time had arrived to put Empire trade on a reciprocity basis.

Mr. Bruce said that Australia would welcome the project of a Dominion naval unit in the Pacific. The Singapore base proposal carried out what had long been the Australian ideal. It showed that Britain had recognised that the heart of the Empire was no longer in the North Sea but had shifted to the Pacific.

Britain Has New Plan For India

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, July 24.—A White Paper on the Kenya question, relating to the highly controversial matter of Indian franchise and other rights, states that the Government has decided to adopt a communal system of representation for Indians and Arabs on the Legislative Council. The number of nominated official members will be so fixed as to maintain an official majority on the Council. One nominated unofficial member will be selected from the Christian missionaries to protect native interests and authority will be given to appoint a missionary as an additional unofficial member to the Executive Council. The policy of segregation between Europeans and Asiatics must be abandoned but the reservation of the highlands for Europeans will be maintained. A portion of the lowlands will be reserved as an experiment for Indian agricultural development. The question of the control of immigration will be referred to the Governors of Kenya and Uganda for submission of the proposals to the Duke of Devonshire.

Obituary

REV. H. K. WRIGHT

Funeral services for the Rev. H. K. Wright, who died suddenly while playing tennis, were held at Bubbling Well Cemetery yesterday afternoon. A large number of acquaintances, including many former associates in missionary work, attended the services.

MARKS AT 2,200,000

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, July 24.—Marks today depreciated to 2,200,000 to the pound.

RUSSIA LOOKS FOR TWO BILLION BUSHEL HARVEST

Enormous Quantities Are Earmarked For Export, Says Bureau

(*Reuter's Service*)

Berlin, July 24.—The Moscow Statistical Bureau estimates this year's harvest at at least 3,000,000,000 poods (approx. 120,000,000,000 lbs.) There will be an available surplus of 500,000,000 poods, of which 200,000,000 poods have been earmarked for export. The harvest in the Ukraine is expected to yield 800,000,000 poods, of which 100,000,000 poods will be available for export. The cotton crop in Turkestan is estimated at 10,000,000 poods.

TWO NEW FIRMS INCORPORATED UNDER TRADE ACT

Certificates of incorporation issued by the Secretary of Commerce of the United States, Mr. Herbert Hoover, were received yesterday at the office of the Registrar of the China Trade Act, granting incorporation to the Shanghai Building Company, Federal Inc., U.S.A., and the Peace Trading Company, Federal Inc., U.S.A.

Turkey To Buy Machinery In U.S.

(*Reuter's Service*)

New York, July 24.—The Ottoman-American Development Company, owners of the Chester concession, announce that they have signed a contract with the Turkish Government to supply American agricultural machinery to Turkey.

The contract is valid for six years and contemplates the establishment of schools for the instruction of farmers.

Germans Arrest French Courier

(*Reuter's Service*)

Berlin, July 25.—The newspapers report that German police yesterday arrested a French courier of the French Embassy in Berlin on an express train near Hagen and seized important documents intended for the French Commander of the Ruhr Army.

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JUDGE E. H. Gary has just announced that steel workers in the future will work 8 hour shifts instead of 12 hours—a battle the workers have fought for years. The plan is opposed on Wall Street because of the claim that it will raise the price of steel.

COUNCIL TO LIMIT PASSENGERS FOR TRAMS AND BUSES

Steps to limit the number of passengers who may be carried on tramcars, trailers, and other public conveyances are being taken by the Municipal Council, according to a notification published in today's Municipal Gazette. The new regulation, effective September 1, reads as follows:

No. 36B.—The number of passengers authorised to be carried by any tramcar, railless car, trailer or omnibus or in any separate compartment thereof shall be determined by the Commissioner of Police and shall be painted in a legible manner in English and Chinese in a conspicuous place on such vehicle. No such vehicle shall carry a greater number of passengers than the number authorised. On any breach of this condition, the owner as well as the person in charge shall be liable to prosecution.

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Peking Day By Day

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though it may be, in the Captain's cabin. Historical and nautical records are strangely silent on how many of the courageous little white mice were ever rescued from their watery graves in any one instance, but it is a pretty thought that the instinct to preserve life, even though it might be, for a few minutes longer was the motivating force which actuated the mice to make a last valiant effort.

China's Ship of State is well "down by the head," her rudder has gone, the Captain and six of her officers have sought safety in one or another of the Foreign Concessions and the situation from a foreign standpoint at least would appear desperate.

Yesterday Mr. Chen Pao-chien, the Vice-Minister of Education, who has fought valiantly to maintain at least a semblance of order in one of the most important posts in the Cabinet tendered his resignation. It was a blow to the government, but a great loss to the country since Mr. Chen's untiring devotion to duty is well known, and the strides that have been made along educational lines during his tenure of office have portended a great future for the youth of the country.

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The translation of Mr. Chen's letter of resignation reads like a wail of despair from a brave heart. He states:

"I was appointed by Presidential Mandate to take up the concurrent post of Vice-Minister at a time when the Ministry was in a poverty-stricken state, having its arrears unpaid, and when in consequence there was the greatest difficulty in handling the educational business.

"Despite these great difficulties I did my utmost to control the situation. But since the Ministry of Finance has been unable to raise funds for this Ministry, being itself resourceless I am convinced that I cannot carry on my duties any longer with satisfaction, and I am constrained to believe that even an abler man than I, would be unwilling to continue in his post at the present juncture.

"I therefore beg to tender my resignation in all earnestness."

In other words Mr. Chen has touched upon one of the fundamental problems of the country at the present time. How can any nation hope to succeed when it is impossible to raise funds to carry on the vital necessity of providing for the education of the future statesmen and leaders of thought.

During the past four weeks, various loans have been suggested, and various schemes considered for raising money; to pay Parliament; to cover campaign expenses; to cover the salaries of China's foreign Legations; to raise a force of some 20,000 men for the protection of life and property of railway travellers; and yet not a copper cash for education.

Such an attitude of a civilised country might well be compared to the eminent ostrich who hides its head in the sand in order not to see the danger ahead.

The educational mile posts of a country have frequently been compared to the rungs on the ladder of progress. The nations of the Occident have frequently been criticised for their "super-educational" methods, and perhaps there is some truth contained in the adverse criticism, but, if we are to believe the cold bleak facts of history, it was the nation with the greatest education, I speak now of widely disseminated knowledge, that always came out on top of the heap, when the smoke of conflict had blown away. The savants of China are fully aware of these facts and have been vainly trying to beat down bars of prejudice, avarice, and jealousy constructed by the militarists, but with results which in no wise have been commensurate with the effort involved, or with the importance of the undertaking.

Chinese Girl Driver Is Named Defendant In $15,000 Suit

Miss P. C. Lee, said to be a former secretary of the late Yuan Shih-k'ai, who ran down and killed Tung Chi-lien, a building contractor, with her motor car, has been made the defendant in a civil action filed at the Mixed Court for $15,000 damages by the family of the deceased. She furnished security in the amount claimed.

The accident took place on the evening of July 15 on Markham Road. At the inquest, the Court found death was caused by the collision with Miss Lee's car and was of opinion that Miss Lee did not understand her car sufficiently to drive along busy streets.

"Kiangteen" On Rocks In River Near Hankow

The China Merchants Steam Navigation Company have received cable advices that their steamer Kiangteen, bound from Shanghai for Hankow, went around last Monday on the Sand Beach, beyond Tsingshan, about 10 miles from Hankow. The tugs have been dispatched to the scene, and it is hoped that the steamer will be refloated at any minute and no damage is expected.

Two Foreigners And 158 Chinese Died Last Week

Two foreigners and 158 Chinese died of all causes in the International Settlement last week, according to the weekly report of Commissioner of Health C. Noel Davis. Communicable diseases reported during the same period included one Chinese with cholera, four Chinese typhoid fever, 17 Chinese and one foreigner with tuberculosis, three Chinese with dysentery and two Chinese with acute diarrhoea.

ARMED ROBBERY

Six men, 2 of whom were armed with pistols, entered a leather shop at 67 East Seward Road about 10 o'clock on Tuesday night and attempted to force open a safe containing a considerable amount of money, according to police reports yesterday. The robbers were unsuccessful as far as is known although they so damaged the safe lock that the shop owners have not been able to open the strong-box. The only thing they stole was a pair of silk pants.

Arrival Of Silver Eases The Money Market Here

BY DAVID ARAKIE

With the arrival of a large quantity of silver in Shanghai in the past few days, the money market here has lost much of its stringency, and the European and Japanese banks are provided with adequate supplies of ready cash. There has been no further borrowings from the Chinese banks which in previous weeks has been going on merrily on an extensive scale. Relations between the demand for money and its supply are at present just sufficient to keep the market rates easy.

The arrival of some 1,700 bars of silver at the end of last week and the expected arrival of some five million taels of the white metal within the next few days served to bring about an abrupt change in the monetary conditions, firmness giving place to renewed easiness. These supplies have come to the rescue of the money market in Shanghai when it threatened to be expensively firm for the foreign banks.

The present stocks of silver in Shanghai are much lower than the comparative period last year, but with trade extremely sluggish in both the export and import lines the silver holdings are sufficient for our present needs.

MORE COMING

Further quantities of silver are scheduled to come to the hands of the banks in China within the course of the next month and in October, November and December. Some five million taels worth of silver will arrive here next month, while it is stated very extensive purchases have been made in the United States for October to December delivery. The dominating question now is not the amount of the banks' holdings of the white metal but the state of the trade. The number of bills coming on the market is extremely disappointing to even the most cheerfully-inclined.

The Chinese banks in Shanghai are inundated with funds which are not easily put to use. Consequently the native rate of interest has gone down to three percent. In the midst of the tea and silk seasons, which form two of the most important commodities of Chinese export, we would have expected that money should have been in good demand. The export of tea is fair but silk, which ordinarily calls for large amounts of silver for financing, has been fairly quiet, the exporters slowly working off the amounts contracted with buyers abroad long before the season opened here.

During the whole of the seven months of this year for only four to five weeks was native interest pitched high. This was notably in the cocoon season, when for some five weeks the rate stood at from 15 to 20 percent. After touching the peak it dropped rapidly to the present figure. The period was marked by fits of depression and cheerfulness. Developments in the international and Chinese situations are hardly of a character to inspire boldness in business, and there is a considerable amount of temerity displayed by merchants.

News from Japan is not very inspiring as well. With a prospective slump looming on the horizon, demand in Japan has been checked, movements of goods falling off day by day. Even influential merchants in that country, we are told, are pressed for money, and although the Japanese bankers are liberal enough with commercial bills they are strictly keeping aloof from advances on merchandise. Since the markets began to decline the Japanese banking institutions have been demanding better security.

BUYING EXPORT BILLS

The local banks are also good buyers of export bills. There is no special demand for money, and the supply is sufficient for the needs of trade. The Ruhr occupation has produced far-reaching effects on the economic situation of all countries, and even Shanghai has not been free from the effects. The Bank of England has been obliged to increase the official discount rate by one percent to four percent owing to the unfavorable balance of British trade. This coupled with the economic conditions in the Continental countries, has apparently put the Bank of England in a cautious mood. The discount rate had been maintained at three percent since July 13 last year. Moreover, the increase in the discount rate to 4.5 percent by the New York Reserve Bank in February has had the result of much Continental and English capital going to America, and it is probable that the Bank of England rate was increased to put a stop to the outflow of specie to the United States.

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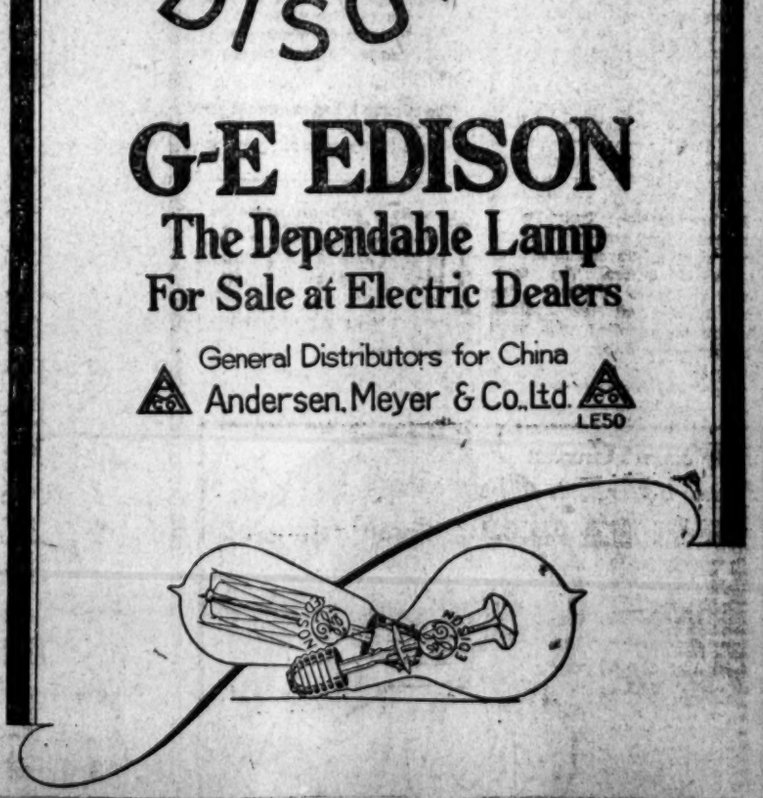

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NO CONFIRMATION OF RUMOR THAT LI IS EN ROUTE HERE

Local Representative Of President Has No Word Concerning Report

No confirmation has yet been made of the report carried by the Dah Tong New Bureau that President Li Yuan-hung was on his way to Shanghai. His personal representative in Shanghai, Mr. Ching Yung-hsien denied yesterday having had received any message from him although he admitted that Li had contemplated coming down here.

Another report says that the message was premature, because arrangements with the local authorities are not yet complete. Mr. Ching yesterday wired to the family of General Li for confirmation, but no reply was received.

Dr. Koo was the center of many verbal attacks yesterday for accepting the foreign portfolio in the tottering cabinet in Peking. Among those who directed telegraphic missives at him were members of Parliament in Shanghai, his many relatives residing here, the Kiangsu Assembly and others.

OPEN-AIR CONCERT PROGRAM GIVEN FOR SATURDAY

Following is the program which will be played by the Municipal Orchestra at the open-air concert to be held in Jessfield Park Saturday evening, beginning at 9:15 o'clock:

1.—Overture, "Maritana" W. V. Wallace
2.—Two Hungarian Dances: Brahms
(a) G Minor
(b) D Major
3.—Ballet Music from "The Queen of Saba" ..Goldmark
Bajaderes Dance—Bees Dance
Bacchanalian Revel
4.—Slavonic March Tschalkowsky
5.—Selection from the Opera "Werther" .. Massenet
6.—Overture, "Guarany" (First Performance).. Gomez
Conductor: Maestro Mario Paci.

Band Program

The following program will be played by the Municipal Band in the Race Club Enclosure this evening, beginning at 9 p.m.:

1—March, "Our Director" .... Bigelow
2—Overture, "Elizia and Claudia" Mercadante
3—Waltz, "Love's Proposal" .... Tobani
4—Selection, "La Fille de Madame Angot" .....Lecocq
5—Intermezzo, "In a Monastery Garden" .....Ketelbey
6—Polonaise Concertante for Cornet Solo .....Kappey
(Soloist: Mr. C. Pigott)
7—Selection, "Cox and Box" .... Sullivan

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Australia To Have Radio News Service

It was announced in the Australian press early this year that arrangements had been concluded between Amalgamated Wireless (Australasia), Ltd., and the Union Steamship Company of New Zealand, Ltd., for the publication of daily newspapers, containing news supplied by wireless on the company's vessels at sea. Wireless newspapers are to be established on four Trans-Pacific liners conducting services between Sydney and Vancouver and Sydney and San Francisco. The company's passenger steamers between Sydney and New Zealand will also be supplied with news to be published daily.

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News Brevities

Mme. Wellington Koo, wife of Peking's Minister of Foreign Affairs, is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Peking shortly.

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H. M. King Gustav V. of Sweden has conferred upon Major. P. W. D. Olivecrona, Engineer-in-Chief to the Conservancy Works of Kuangtung, the Knighthood of the Nordstern Order.

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Information has been received in Shanghai of the personnel of the staff to accompany Admiral Murray Anderson when he succeeds Admiral Maclachlan on the Yangtze. Commander John H. K. Clegg O. B. E. has been appointed to succeed Captain Eliot who has been in command of the flagship Bee for the past two years, while Paymaster-Lieutenant-Commander E. A. Symes will succeed Paymaster-Commander G. Loste-Moon.

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Satter Din, a watchman, claimed $30 from the "North China Daily News," as wages in the British Supreme Court. The plaintiff produced a certificate stating that he had been in the company's employ for 16 months. This was denied by the defendant, and the case was adjourned until Saturday, a suggestion being made by the Judge that perhaps it could be settled after inquires had been made by Mr. R. W. Davis, the general manager.

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The Italian Government has given a decoration to Mr. Fu Siao-en, managing director of the Commercial Bank of China.

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Five members of the new Chinese Advisory Committee of the Municipal Council were elected yesterday. But no announcement of the personnel was made because the directors of the Chinese Ratepayers Association decided to withhold the names until those elected have shown their willingness to accept.

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The local Bureau of Foreign Affairs has transmitted a letter to the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce addressed to it by the Japanese Consulate-General, asking for the dissolution of all Anti-Japanese organisations in Shanghai.

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The Council has approved the recommendation of the Commandant that membership of the Machine Gun Company Reserves will be open to members of the Corps who have completed three years' service in an active unit, ex-service men of the Machine Gun Corps, ex-service men of the Naval Armoured Car Section and ex-service men of the Royal Air Force who have been trained in the Vickers Gun, according to the Municipal Gazette.

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Mr. Juel Madsen, the noted Danish artist who drew a number of sketches of racing celebrities for THE CHINA PRESS during his stay in Shanghai, was a passenger for Yokohama on the s.s. Chambord yesterday. Mr. L. Basset was also a passenger.

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Mr. J. J. Rogers of the Eastern Equitable Banking Corporation has returned to Shanghai from a visit to Peking.

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Miss Mary Kennedy is at present visiting with friends in Peking.

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Mr. David Dorsey, formerly employed as an accountant with the firm of Frazer and Company, Tientsin, left Shanghai today, for Tientsin, after visiting in Shanghai for several weeks prior to his departure for the United States in the near future.

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The return of Wharfage Dues for the second quarter of the current year has been received from the Chinese Maritime Customs, showing a total sum accruing to the Council of Tls. 103,639.53.

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Chi Shih-yuan, Kiangsu Tuchun, yesterday issued an order for the arrest of Ming Chung-chien, a prominent Kuomingtang member connected with a commercial firm in Shanghai. It is not known under what charge the order was issued.

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Peter Savlek Nahaboff, Russian, 14 Seward Road, was charged at the Mixed Court yesterday with obtaining $100 from Isaac Rodovsky by means of false pretenses. The defendant was ordered remanded in custody one week by Assessor Jacobs and Magistrate Yui.

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David Sternfeldt, 5 North Shanse Road, appeared in the Mixed Court before Assessor Williamore and Magistrate Loh yesterday charged with attempting to commit suicide. Sternfeldt was picked up in Shanse Road last Sunday in an unconscious condition and was sent to hospital, where it was found that he had swallowed a quantity of match heads. The Court ordered him turned over to the Bureau for Russian Affairs.

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PLAN SEPARATE REPLIES TO NOTE

(Reuter's Service)

London, Jul 25.—Reports from Paris suggest that France and Belgium will reply separately to the British Note for, though they are agreed with regard to the question of the evacuation of the Ruhr, Belgium is disposed to go further than France towards meeting the British view on the question of German capacity for payment.

German Reds On Rampage, Public Prosecutor Slain

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, July 24.—One hundred thousand people yesterday, in response to an appeal by the Social Democratic and Communist Parties and trade-unions of Frankfort-on-Main, took part in a demonstration against usury and Fascism. All shops were closed and collisions with the police occurred.

After the meeting the house of Dr. Haas, the Public Prosecutor, was ransacked, Dr. Haas was beaten to death, and his wife and father maltreated. The police eventually restored order.

In view of the seriousness of the political situation Herr Noske, the Governor of the Province of Hanover, has prohibited all open-air meetings on July 29, the date fixed for the Communist anti-fascist demonstrations.

PRINCESS SENTENCED

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, July 24.—Princess Hohenlohe-Oehringen, who is alleged to have been an accomplice in the escape of Ehrhardt from prison, has been sentenced to six months' imprisonment for complicity in high treason combined with perjury.

95 Communists On Trial At Plevna

(Reuter's Service)

Sofia, July 24.—The trial opened today at Plevna of 95 persons alleged to have been concerned in Communist rebellion against the new Bulgarian Government, five of whom are accused of instigating the plot and are liable to the death penalty, while the others are liable to imprisonment for periods not exceeding 15 years.

One hundred and fifty witnesses will appear for each side, if necessary. There is great interest in the proceedings as they are the first of a series of similar trials.

Australian Flyer Varies Mail Trip With Samaritan Act

That the air mail service between Geraldton and Derby, on the Northwest coast of Western Australia, may be used for purposes other than postal and passenger traffic, was shown when Pilot W. B. Cochrane received a telegram at Roeburne, a lonely settlement on the route. He was informed that a sick man requiring urgent hospital treatment was lying at Mardi, on the Fortescue River. The nearest hospital was at Onslow, a distance of 100 miles from Mardi. Pilot Cochrane flew to Mardi, placed the patient in the most comfortable position possible in the passenger's seat, and within 60 minutes covered the 100 miles flight to Onslow. A landing was made near the hospital, and the patient was operated on immediately. His life was saved.

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China Press Sports

THE MAN WHO WOULD KEEP HIS FRIENDS SHOULD NEVER GIVE THEM CAUSE TO ENVY HIM

Gallopers Win Last Of Practice Games; Smith Throws Out Base Stealer

The Gallopers won the last of the practice games preceding the big series with the Peking Marines at the Recreation Grounds yesterday. Score 5 to 2.

There wasn't much to the game from a technical standpoint aside from the fact that Jack Smith, who was catching, actually threw out a Japanese who tried to steal second base. This made the third out of the inning, and when Jack reached the bench he was all puffed up like a pouter pigeon.

"First one this season," he remarked, addressing the bench.

"First one in your life," replied the bench, in unison.

It seems that Freddy Bills had left his position at shortstop to give the new pitcher, Bullard, the low down on the Japanese who was then at bat, and when the runner on first saw second uncovered he streaked for it. Jack heaved madly in the direction of second but as usual his rainbow didn't get much further than the pitcher's box. Fortunately for him, however, Freddy grabbed the ball when it came down and by outsprinting the runner got the putout at second.

Naturally Jack gets credit for an assist and Bills for the putout, although strictly speaking Freddy should have credit for both the assist and put out, seeing that he ran further with the ball than Jack threw it. But as the scoring rules make no provision for this contingency there is nothing for it except to give Jack credit for cutting down a would-be base stealer, incredible as it may seem that he actually got one.

Aside from Jack's heave the game was featureless, Shanghai got three runs in the first, due more to the opposition's errors than to good playing on their own part. They were sufficient.

The box score:

Shanghai	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bills ss	4	1	1	2	2	0
Thatch W. 2b	3	0	0	3	2	1
Pepper rf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Smith c	3	1	0	8	1	3
Taylor 1b	2	0	0	9	0	1
Posnecki cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Hqwland 3b	3	1	1	0	1	0
Farmer lf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Bullard p	2	0	1	0	1	0
Scott p	1	0	1	0	1	0
Totals	26	5	5	21	7	5

Mitsubishi	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Takeuchi cf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Tsutsumi p	3	1	0	3	2	0
Tajiri c	3	0	1	8	1	1
Machida ss	3	0	0	1	0	2
Suzuki 3b	3	0	1	1	1	1
Sawanishi lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Sakura 1b	3	0	0	4	0	2
Yamanochi rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Kamachi 2b	2	0	1	0	1	1
Totals	26	2	4	18	5	7

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LEONARD GIVES PHILADELPHIAN TERRIFIC BEATING

Champion Receives $175,000 For His Share. Tendler $75,000

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

New York, July 25.—Sporting critics on all the New York newspapers agree that Benny Leonard's victory over Lew Tendler was overwhelmingly complete in every detail. The lightweight champion delivered a terrific drubbing to the Philadelphia

BENNY LEONARD.

challenger who failed in every way to exhibit the same fighting ability he displayed against the champion in their match a short time previously.

Eighty thousand people saw the fight at the Polo Grounds. The champion received $175,000 for his part of the purse and Tendler got $75,000 for the loser's end.

Leonard seemed to have several opportunities to put over a knockout punch, hitting Tendler with ease.

Sports Correspondence

Sports Editor.—I hear that plans are afoot for a sporting organisation to be known as the Shanghai Athletic Association. All interested all invited to become Charter Members and shares in the company are to be offered at ten dollars Mex. each.

Mr. Billy Bellew, who is well known among the older members of our sporting community as being an old and far-famed exponent of the manly art, is the originator of the Association and fans here have so much faith in his ability to make the thing go that they have already subscribed a couple of thousand dollars towards the enterprise.

The Association, besides its other athletic activities, will stage boxing tournaments periodically and Bellew says he will be in a position to offer satisfactory purses to bring really good men here.

Here's wishing all the success in the world to our old friend Billy:

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Weismuller Stricken With Heart Leakage; May Not Swim Again

Chicago.—Johnny Weismuller, world champion swimmer attached to the Illinois Athletic club, was taken to a hospital today and all his engagements for the month were cancelled. Physicians say he is suffering from leakage of the heart and must take a long rest. It is said to be doubtful whether he will ever compete again. The trouble is said to have been brought on by over-exertion at Decatur, Illinois, where Weismuller swam in many races.

Japanese Tennis Stars Due Saturday

The all-star Japanese Tennis Team of Olympic champions now engaged in a tournament at Tientsin, will arrive in Shanghai next Saturday for the tournament with the local stars.

Anticipating the arrival of these distinguished players, the Japanese community here are preparing to give the visitors a hospitable welcome, and are meeting in the course of a day or two in an effort to organise receptions and arrange for entertainment for the visitors during their stay in Shanghai.

The visiting team, who represented Japan in the Far Eastern Games recently held at Osaka, is composed of young men. Toba who is singles champion of Japan is to proceed to the United States after the engagement here and will be on the Japanese team in the Davis cup tournament.

The team, Messrs. Toba of Kobe Commercial University, Ukekawa, Abe and Kamazuma of Waseda University, are all star players, and in view of their previous record and their splendid showing in North China recently, it appears as if the local stars will have their hands full when they meet these strangers on the turf in the forthcoming tournament.

The games will be played on the courts of the Association in the grounds of the Majestic Hotel on Bubbling Well Road commencing 4.30 o'clock, Monday July 30, and the games to be played are scheduled as follows:

Monday, July 30th. One single and one double.

Tuesday, July 31st. Two singles.

Wednesday, August 1st. Two doubles.

Saturday, August 4th. One single and one double. The games on Saturday will be played after the base-ball game.

The Shanghai players who will participate in the tournament are: Mr. W. P. Roberts of St. John's University, Mr. John L. Wade, Mr. Toussaint of the French Club, Mr. John Elmore, Mr. R. Carnavarro and Mr. J. Silva.

Mr. Mansel-Smith, one of the local players unfortunately is not available for the forthcoming games, as he has but recently arrived in Shanghai and will not be in condition to play serious tennis until later in the season. As for the others mentioned above, they all appear to be in excellent condition and ought to give a good account of themselves when they meet the visiting team from Japan next week.

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The second July monthly cup competitions of the Shanghai Rifle Association was held on Tuesday from 6 to 9 a.m. Range-Bisley 500 yds. one sighter and ten scoring shots. There were over fifty competitors. The weather conditions were ideal and some good scores were registered. Following are the details:

"A1" CLASS

J. S. Chen	
5 — 3445555555 — 46	(a)
C. C. Hoh	
2 — 2554555555 — 46	
C. M. Sequeira	
4 — 45445554455 — 46	
R. I. Ito	45
F. E. Hodges	45
D. Kia	44
J. R. Main	44
W. T. Rose	44
K. D. Chen	44
S. A. Ransom	44
C. Luthy	43
Y. C. Waung	43

"A" CLASS

M. Tsukasaki	48 (b)
E. W. Burgess	45
H. G. Mende	45
A. L. Mottu	45
C. Weber	44
D. M. Liang	43
N. S. Li	42
Z. S. Hoo	42
H. W. Lambert	41
A. T. Cooper	41
G. H. G. Caulton	40
E. W. Elmer	40
R. H. Bullock	39
J. M. Watson	36
A. E. Ongetta	33

"B" CLASS

A. F. Gomes	48 (c)
J. W. Baldwin	44
R. Davis	43
D. Levy	42
P. Pfanner	40
C. S. Kemp	40
H. Tobias	39
D. W. Wong	37
D. Leighton	37
G. Archer	36

"C" CLASS

R. W. Burton	44 (c)
H. Collaco	42
F. Diniz	42
C. H. Liu	42
A. C. Godby	41
T. W. Mitchell	37
E. Mellows	32
R. Joseph	32
J. J. Gaffney	17

"D" CLASS

S. Matsushita	38 (a)
T. Fujii	37
K. T. Doo	36
L. K. Chu	27
Y. Ban	23

(a) Winner of spoon and first leg on cup.

(b) Winner of spoon and third leg on cup.

(c) Winner of spoon and second leg on cup.

ATTENDANCE CUPS

Following is the result of aggregate of various classes to date, including the above scores, of the two highest scorers.

"A1" Class: R. I. Ito 1186 and Y. C. Waung 1178.

"A" Class: H. Mende 1089 and A. Ongetta 1080.

"B" Class: D. Leighton 1084 and C. Kemp 1056.

"C" Class: A. C. Godby 1009 and H. Collaco 990.

"D" Class: T. Fujii 848 and L. K. Chu 817.

Collaco Wins Hongkew G.C. Cup

In the monthly cup competition of the Hongkew Golf Club from 6 to 11 a.m., there were 12 competitors and following are the results of the 4 best scores. Conditions match play (handicap), 18 holes.

A. M. Collaco	82 net
J. M. Lopes	86 net
F. G. Remedios	86 net
G. Silva	91 net

THE PRESIDENT CUP

The sixth competition for the above cup was held on Sunday, July 15. J. M. Lopes and S. Luz were tied with 8 points each (net) the former won in the count out. J. M. Lopez' future handicap is 8 points.

Cricket Results

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 24.—At Lord's, Hampshire beat Middlesex by 8 wickets. Mead made 145 in Hampshire's 1st innings.

At Sheffield, Yorkshire beat Gloucestershire by 10 wickets, Holmes (Yorkshire) made 122 not out in the 1st innings.

At Birmingham, Lancashire beat Warwickshire by an innings and 15 runs. Hallows made 114 for Lancashire and Parkin took 7 Warwickshire wickets for 71 and 6 for 26.

At Worksop, Notts beat Worcestershire by 124 runs. McLean (Worcester) made 121 in the 2nd innings. For Notts Barratt took 6 wickets for 44 and 6 for 86.

At Northhampton, Northamptonshire beat Derbyshire by one wicket. At Blackheath Surrey beat Kent by 222 runs. Fender (Surrey) is the first player to reach his 1,000 runs and 100 wickets this season. This is the first win Surrey has scored over Kent in Kent since the easy victory at Beckenham in 1897.

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General Wu Pei-fu Says He Will Not Recognise An Illegally Elected President

(Continued from Page 1)

in ignorance of both that the overthrow of the administration was impending and that it had occurred. It was also explained that telegrams and letters which his private secretary, C. T. Sun, sent from Peking the day of the president's flight were delayed and did not reach Loyang until more than a week later. While Marshal Wu's first inclinations might have been to support President Li's return to Peking the latter's subsequent relations with Mukden, Canton and the Anfu element altered the situation.

"Responsibility for recent political events in Peking rests on the shoulders of Parliament," he continued. "Others may have instigated the affair but it would have been impossible without Parliament."

His opinion of the role of the Christian General Feng Yu-hsiang was asked. He made no defense of General Feng, explaining that he is under the orders of the Minister of War in Peking and adding:

"I do not share the opinion of some that the militarists are responsible for the expulsion of the president. The conspiracy originated in Peking. Parliament has made no protest. It has acquiesced and is alone responsible."

A desire for the reunification of China was emphasised by the marshal. He amplified his program for accomplishing this by military force by explaining:

"Parliament has existed for 10 years and done nothing. Its present task is to complete the constitution and to elect a president at the same time. It refuses to muster a quorum and there is little possibility that it will before its term of office expires in October. The provincial authorities will then be required to do something. A conference should be called to which all the provinces will be invited to send representatives."

It was suggested that many consider him a logical selection for president, a strong man able to unite the country. Marshal Wu said that he would never consent to be a candidate nor would he accept the office if elected. He declared that he was content to serve the country as a soldier, devoting his leisure to his poetry, painting and studies.

His proposed provincial conference brought up the recently suggested conference of the leaders of China's factions.

"That suggestion is rather ridiculous," said Marshal Wu. "Whoever made it is talking nonsense and does not know Chinese politics."

His views were asked on the London suggestion for foreign officers over the railroad troops.

"Protection of the railroads is one of China's domestic affairs," he said. "If a fair competitive test could be made of Chinese and foreign officers, it would be found that the Chinese are equally efficient. The suggestion is very embarrassing to the Chinese people and bound to develop antagonism between China and Britain. No matter how weak China might be, it would resent such a proceeding. Improvement can be made in the railroad troops and it is necessary that the central government reorganise the force."

"Do you consider that foreign intervention has injured China?"

"Foreigners have helped China in many ways. However when foreign powers support the bad elements in China through ammunition, money and other assistance, attempting to become strong, they seriously hurt China. The attitude of some powers in preventing the entry of ammunition has been praiseworthy and of great good to the country. Other powers have done the country immense harm. Without foreign interference China would have been united long ago. The foreign powers and many of the Chinese people themselves, do not know who the bad elements are. Once they are removed, China will be united again."

Marshal Wu is more optimistic over the outcome of his present campaigns in Kwangtung, Szechwan and Fukien than some of the day to day reports seem to justify. He anticipates that Dr. Sun will be driven from Canton within a month though unofficial reports indicate that General Shun Hung-ying, the Kwangsi general leading the opposition and reporting to Marshal Tsao Kun, is being steadily defeated and that General Chen Chiung-ming, Marshal Wu's confrere, has now ventured from his refuge in Hongkong to assist in the defense of his home city of Waichow against Dr. Sun's troops. Marshal Wu's reports are that General Chen has personally gone into the field.

General Shun is Peking's appointee as military governor of Kwangtung. Marshal Wu was asked whether the title would be taken from him and given to General Chen when Dr. Sun and his Yunnan troops are defeated.

"That remains to be seen," the marshal replied. "A general supported by all the brigade leaders will be selected. Recently General Chen has advocated provincial autonomy. That is not practical in the first place and usually any kind of autonomy advocated by militarists is not real autonomy."

Marshal Wu's own 3rd division is quartered in the extensive military establishment which the late Yuan Shih-kai built a few miles outside of Loyang, capital of the Hsia dynasty in 2205 B.C. He supervises the drills each morning, attends to his office routine and later in the day inspects the schools, road and bridge building and reforestation which the soldiers are doing. The division's tree nurseries cover between 3,000 and 3,500 acres. Several companies of boy cadets between the ages of 11 and 16 years, uniformed and drilling like the regular troops, are a novel complement to the division.

In addition to being a militarist, Marshal Wu is a poet, painter and student of Chinese classics. His private collection of Chinese scrolls and painting is large, kept at his home in the adjoining market town where he lives with his wife and 14 years old nephew, the latter adopted as his son. Studies of bamboo are his art favorities. He writes the patriotic songs which his soldiers sing as they march from the parade ground and as this interview ended he picked a couple of loose sheets from the table and with a Chinese brush rapidly painted two bamboo black and whites, wrote a classic verse of each, chopped and presented them as souvenirs.

"China must be unified that is the only thought I want to emphasise," he said in conclusion.

Tilbury Dock Strike Easier

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 24.—The Tilbury dock strike is easier. The bulk of the casual workers are still out but the permanent hands are working.

South Africa Co. Sells Mine Rights

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 24.—After long negotiations the Imperial Government and the British South Africa Company have reached an agreement, which the shareholders of the latter confirmed today, under which the Company will surrender certain rights in Rhodesia and at the same time retain the mineral rights against a cash payment of £3,750,000 and other benefits.

This arrangement is preliminary to the introduction of a responsible Government of Southern Rhodesia under the British Crown and a Crown Colony Government of Northern Rhodesia.

Cases On Remand Grow Too Numerous In The Mixed Court

The increasing requests by attorneys for remands in connection with cases pending in the Mixed Court are the subject of the following comment by the Acting Registrar in his report for the month of June, published in today's Municipal Gazette:

It has hitherto been the custom in setting remanded cases for hearing to consider the counsel engaged as far as possible, with the result that the accused is often detained in custody for a fairly long period, because his or other counsel interested is engaged in other cases or Courts for some weeks ahead. The Magistrates and Assessors have now intimated that unless there is a considerable reduction in the hearing list, this privilege will have to be curtailed and that counsel will have to arrange for some one else to take charge of their interests in the case.

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Suit Now On In Hankow Has Important Bearing On China Banking Practise

Unique Action Involving Deposit Receipts Brought By Chekiang Institution Against Chartered Bank

A case which is unique and without precedent in British legal procedure and the decision in which will bear upon banking practice in China is now being heard in Hankow by Judge Peter Grain. It is a suit on two fixed deposit receipts for £2,000 which the Chekiang Industrial Bank is seeking to recover from the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China. These deposit receipts were in the name of Messrs. Theodore Sopher and Co. and were given by them to the Chekiang Industrial as lien for an advance of Tls. 10,000.

The receipts were dated Dec. 7, 1921 and were marked "Not Transferable." Messrs. Theodore Sopher, it is claimed, assigned the amount of these deposit receipts to the Chekiang Industrial Bank absolutely, and the assignment, it is alleged, was noted and accepted by the Chartered Bank of India. By a letter dated July 8, 1922 the Chekiang Bank requested the Chartered Bank to hold the amount of the deposits subject to their eventual disposal, and three days after the Chartered Bank in their reply intimated that the sum would be required by the Bank to set off their accounts with Theodore Sopher and Co. and in such an event the Chekiang Bank would have no call on the money. The Chekiang Bank insisted on their claims being recognised by the Chartered Bank on the two deposit receipts. It may be added that Theodore Sopher and Co. before the maturing of the receipts went bankrupt.

The defence pleaded that the two deposit receipts were "not transferable," and denied that Theodore Sopher and Co. on Dec. 7, 1921 or at any time by right assigned the amount of deposit receipts to the Chekiang Bank or that express notice in writing of the assignment was given to them by the Chekiang Bank on January 23, 1922 as alleged. The Chartered Bank further stated that if any assignment was made by Sopher and Company it was not an absolute assignment but one by way of charge only. It is argued by the defendants that as far back as December 10, 1921 they notified the Chekiang Bank that they did not recognise any lien by the Chekiang Bank on the deposit receipts. Prior to and on January 23, 1922 the firm of Theodore Sopher and Co. was indebted to the Chartered Bank of India in the sum of Hankow taels 57,824.64, which at exchange of 3s. 6½d., the rate prevailing on January 23, 1922, equalled £10,239.15.8. There was therefore due at the commencement of this action by Theodore Sopher and Co. to the Chartered Bank of India the sum of Tls. 44,252.09, which at exchange 3.2⅛ equals £7,029.12.7. The Chartered Bank claim to set off the amount of this debt by the two deposit receipts. The defendants pray for a declaration that they are entitled to the sum of £2,000 and interest thereon represented by the deposit receipts, and ask that the claim of the Chekiang Industrial Bank be dismissed with costs.

Mr. H. G. C. Baile appears for the Chartered Bank of India and Mr. J. E. Bradeley assisted by the American attorney, Mr. R. A. Frost, for the Chekiang Industrial Bank.

The point up for decision, judging from the de bene esse examination of Mr. A. O. M. Forrest, the previous manager of the Chartered Bank at Hankow, which was taken on May 16 last at Hankow, is whether the assignment that was made by Theo. Sopher and Co. to the Chekiang Industrial Bank of the two deposit receipts for £2,000 was equitable or legal. If the assignment is equitable, then it would be necessary to have Theo. Sopher and Co. one as co-plaintiffs in this action, it is claimed. The consent of the French Court in Shanghai has been secured to making the firm of Theo. Sopher and Co. co-plaintiffs. If the assignment is considered legal then the Chekiang Industrial Bank could sue without the assistance of Theo. Sopher and Co.

In the de bene esse examination of Mr. A. O. M. Forrest, it was stated that when the Chartered Bank of India went to take possession of cargo that they considered they had a lien on that cargo was found to be non-existent.

The de bene esse evidence was put in the Hankow Court, and a few extracts from it are interesting.

Mr. Bailey to Mr. Forrest: I believe Messrs. Theo. Sopher and Co. had given you the usual letter of lien on cargo but when you went to take possession of it in July it was non-existent?—It was non-existent.

You naturally claim the deposit receipts against their indebtedness?—Yes.

How, Mr. Forrest, with regard to your own deposit receipts, they are marked "not transferable." What are the Bank's requirements in the event of any one wishing to transfer the deposit receipts?—He would have to bring in the deposit receipt, endorse it and a fresh receipt would be made out in the name of the transferee. The receipt would have to be presented personally otherwise we should do nothing without written instructions.

Do I understand you would then issue a new deposit receipt in the name of the new transferee?—The actual deposit receipt is not in fact "not transferable" but is transferred by the creation of a new instrument.

In the same way, I believe, you never pay a deposit receipt except on production of the deposit receipt by the depositor or on direct instructions from him?—No.

If you received a letter from any one asking you to note their lien on a deposit receipt, how would you act?—We have to get it produced and issue a new one.

If you received a letter from any one asking you to note their lien?—No, we do not do it.

As far as you know of other foreign banks the procedure is the same?—Exactly the same.

The hearing of the case is expected to occupy several days.

Ricsha Mission Thanks Council For Donation

The Council has received the following letter from Mr. C. Matheson, Founder and Hon. Director of the Shanghai Mission to Ricsha Men, acknowledging receipt of the sum of Tls. 5,000 donated towards the expenditure involved in building a new hall for ricsha coolies:—

Shanghai, July 23, 1923.

Dear Sir,—I beg to acknowledge with grateful thanks a cheque for Tls. 5,000 (taels five thousand) for the Building Fund of the "Ricsha Mission" contributed by the Shanghai Municipal Council and the Shanghai Community in recognition of the work carried on by the Mission.

A Treasurer's receipt for said sum has been forwarded to the Treasurer and Comptroller of the Shanghai Municipal Council, Finance Department.

The Mission's activities and services to the Municipal administration consists in direct personal instruction in Traffic Regulations given to approximately 20,000 men monthly in Mission premises and open air gatherings, also the moral instruction with regard to the preservation of law and order among the coolie class generally. Such instructions it is believed have had good results in the past and will be continued on the same lines.

The sympthetic attitude of the Council and the recognition of the aims of the Mission are factors of great encouragement and most gratefully received.

EXCHANGE OPENS

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Osaka, July 25.—The new six storey building of the Sampin Exchange, which deals in cotton yarn, was officially opened today.

3,000 Londoners See Baseball Game

London, July 21.—The first baseball game of the season in London attracted a crowd of 3,000. It was a close game, or "match," as the British papers called it, the team of American students at Oxford losing, 5 to 4, to the American Legion team of London.

Duke Establishes Swim Record

Los Angeles.—Duke Kahanamoku, the Hawaiian swimmer, established what was announced as a new world's record for the 50-yard free style dash, when he swam the distance in 22 3-5 seconds. The previous record of 23 seconds flat was Kahanamoku's own, established at Honolulu in 1917.

New Blue Funnel Passenger Liner Here Next Week

On the occasion of the arrival for the first time here of the new Blue Funnel Line passenger steamer Sarpedon, Captain J. Riepenhansen, on behalf of the owners, is issuing invitations for a reception to be held on board the vessel next Tuesday afternoon from 4 to 6 p.m.

The Sarpedon is of 11,321 tons gross register, is 517 feet 6 inches in length, 62 feet 3 inches in breadth and has a sea speed of 15 knots. She has spacious promenade decks, lounge, smoke room and verandah cafe and has 157 berths.

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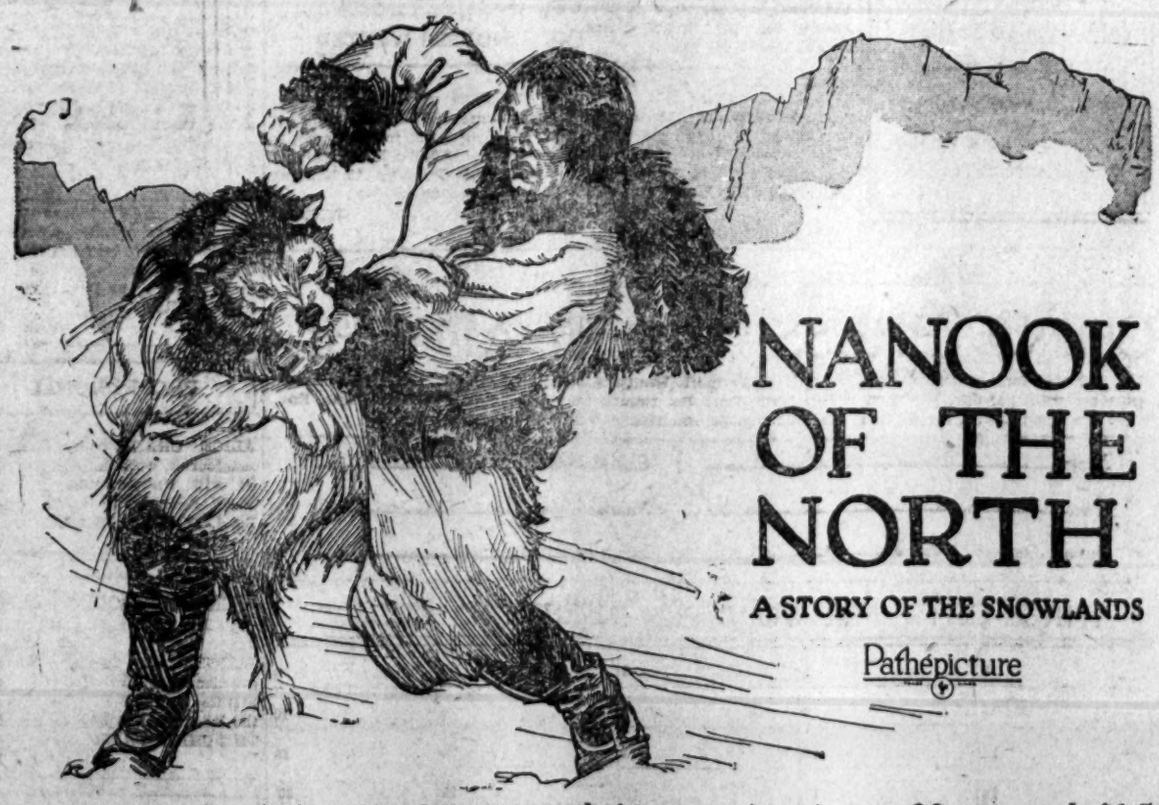
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And Ep. 9 & 10 of "THE BRANDED FOUR" in 4 parts.

SEE DRY CANAL IF WET SHIP PACTS FAIL

Washington's Main Hope Is Twelve-Mile Limit

Washington.—Visions of a Panama Canal closed to ships carrying liquor and of dry Philippine Islands were held up today by Administration officials as imminent problems if the Administration is wrong in contending that the present ship liquor problem in American ports can be solved by suitable treaties.

This point was made by Administration officials in answer to the contention of some able lawyers here, as pointed out in The Tribune recently, that the Supreme Court decision which rsulted in the present trouble was not based primarily on the Volstead law, or any other act of Congress, but on the Eighteenth Amendment itself.

To accept the contention, Administration officials insisted, that neither by treaty nor by act of Congress can any relief be obtained fom the present difficulty, carries along with it the certainty that the special exemptions from the Volstead act under which the Philippines are wet, and under which ships carrying staled liquor may pass through the Panama Canal, are unconstitutional.

That contention, it was insisted by high officials, cannot be accepted for a moment. Neither can it be accepted that this country has put itself into a hole from which the only escape is the practically hopeless task of repealing the Eighteenth Admendmnt.

The language of the amendment, which has been studied more carefully here in the last few days than probably at any time since the Volstead act was under consideration, is as follows:

Section 1. After one year from the ratification of this article, the manfacture, sale or transportation of intoxicating liquors, within, the importation thereof into, or the exportation thereof from the United States and all territory subject to the jurisdiction thereof for beverage purposes is hereby prohibited.

It is professed by the Administration that the language of the amendment, of necessity, leaves to Congress certain discretion as to its enforcement. For example, an eminent lawyer in the Administration pointed out, the Supreme Court held that the law which forbade the shipment through the United States of sealed cars of liquor from Canada to Mexico was upheld as within the power of Congress under the amendment. But the court decision on that very point did not mean that Congress could not by law permit just such shipments if Congress desired to pass such a law.

The Administration, therefore, takes the position that the Supreme Court would uphold an act of Congress permitting foreign vessels to bring liquor under seal into American waters, or a treaty which gave the right to the vessels of those nations with which such treaties were concluded.

Despite the attacks of some lawyers on the proposal that treaties permitting ship liquor under seal in American waters in return for an extension of the three-mile limit to twelve miles be negotiated, there is very evident satisfaction in Administration circles over the move. Whether any real hope lies under the surface or not, the Administration is rather pleased with the effect on the country.

The point is that the government is making another step in a record of doing everything possible to enforce the prohibition law. The Administration wants that record very badly for the next campaign.

Incidentally the foreign powers have been assured by the Administration that there is little real chance of Congress granting permission for sealed liquor to be brought into American ports, unless at the same time there is something given in exchange which, in the opinion of the dry voters of this country, is worth while. Extension of the three-mile limit, Britain and France and Italy have been told, might make the dry element in this country willing to concede ship liquors under seal. Otherwise, it has been represented to them, the dry thumbs would be down.

BRITISH WALKER IS STILL HELD BY YUNNAN BANDITS

Provincial Authorities May Pay Ransom Demanded

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, July 25.—It is understood that efforts are being made to obtain the release of Mr. Weatherbe, who was walking from Burma to Peking. The provincial authorities of Yunnan have instructed the officials at Likiang to despatch a colonel and 100 troops to effect Mr. Weatherbe's release, but the authorities have been instructed to employ peaceful methods, which means that they will have to pay the ransom demanded.

The country in which Mr. Weatherbe was captured by Yunnan bandits while walking from Burma to Peking was described in brilliant fashion by Mr. Bruce Hopper, formerly a member of the staff of THE CHINA PRESS in a series of articles in the newspaper last year. Mr. Hopper, it will be remembered, walked from Burma through Yunnan to the headwaters of the Yangtsze and then shot the rapids down river, eventually landing at Shanghai after a number of exciting adventures. Mr. Hopper is now at San Raphael, California, continuing his writing for American magazines and a book on his exploits is soon to be published.

The Yunnan bandits and conditions in Yunnan were also recently described in THE CHINA PRESS in a series of articles written by Dr. W. W. Peter after a visit there.

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Look For Activities In Southern Combat

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Canton, July 25.—General Tan Yei-kai, formerly Tuchun of Hunan and recently Secretary of Reconstruction in Dr. Sun Yat-sen's Government, departed this morning for Hunan with the intention of participating in the present political struggle in that province.

The Heungshan district, near Canton, is in a disturbed state owing to reports that General Chen Chiung-ming's followers, General Yuan Tai, General Chen Wing-on and others are preparing an attempt to recapture Sintam and Shekki.

Hongkong Court Decide Against Moller And Co.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, July 25.—The Chief Justice today ordered that the action of the shipping companies, including that of Messrs. Moller and Company (Shanghai), Limited, who claimed the profits resulting from the requisitioning of local ships during the war be discharged.

Giving his decision, His Lordship remarked that regarding the merits of the Ordinance the Court was not concerned; his duty was merely to administer the laws of the Colony and to order the shipping companies' actions to be stayed.

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2—The Government will grant the exclusive rights of horse racing in this city, in exchange for a percentage to be fixed, on the Company's net earnings.
3—The Government will allow the use of its sites for this purpose on payment of the annual ground rent of....per square meter

All the tenders should be sent on or before the 15th of September addressed to the Director dos Servicos de Fazenda, Macau (Chief of the Macao Exchequer Department, Macao).

Direccao dos Servicos de Fazenda of the Province of Macao (Macao Exchequer Department), 21st June, 1923.

Direccao dos Servicos de Fazenda (Macao Exchequer Department)

Erection and Exploitation of a Market in the City of Macao.

The Government has resolved to sell the premises known as San-Fa-In. Considering the advantages of providing the city with a modern vast and up-to-date market, with an adjoining or subterranean cold storage compartment for keeping food-stuffs, taking into consideration the fine site of the said premises, just within the city and near to the harbour, affording at the same time ample space for the necessary installations, the Government of this Province hereby announce that up to the 15th September next, it will receive tenders for taking up the said site on the following bases:—

1—Building therein of a large and up-to-date market with all modern improvements and with a cold storage chamber. The ice factory may form its annex.
2—Particulars of time for beginning and finishing the works with relative plans and specifications.
3—Payment to the Government of a tax, corresponding to the interest and sinking-fund representing the value of the said piece of ground.
4—Payment to the Leal Senado of Macao of a sum of money, equivalent to the whole of the Municipal dues and taxes, for running the market.
5—At the end of a specified time, the market will become the property of the Leal Senado of Macao. The Company that had run the market during that period of time, will be given preference, under certain conditions, to keep on administering same.
6—Should the ice factory be built adjoining to the market, this factory will be considered as being outside of the contract, as and belonging definitely to the Company.

All the tenders and information should be sent to the Direccao dos Servicos de Fazenda de Macao.

Macao, Exchequer Department, 21st June, 1923.

Jessfield Park

Saturday, July 28, at 9.15 p.m.

Municipal Orchestra Open-Air Concert

Chairs at 30 Cents each

For Programme:—
See Page No. 4

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GOVERNMENT OF MACAO

Direccao dos Servicos de Fazenda. (Macao Exchequer Department)

Electric Power Machinery, Wireless Station and Electric Traction.

The Government of Macao will receive tenders for the concession of the sole privilege, in the city, of the following services:—

(a) Setting up and running a wireless station, with sufficient power to guarantee communication with the Portuguese Colony of Timor.

(b) Setting up and running electric power machinery for the supply of electric power to the whole city and Harbour of Macao, as well as of electric light for the private lands belonging to the Port of Macao.

(c) Setting up and running electric conveyances in the city and with communication with the neighbouring Chinese villages when this right may be granted.

The terms and conditions may be seen in the Public Works Department of Macao and the tenders should be sent, on or before the 15th September, 1923, addressed to the Director dos Servicos de Fazenda de Macau.

Direccao dos Servicos de Fazenda de Macau. (Macao Exchequer Department), 21st June, 1923. 60751 J 27

Special Notice to Mariners
No. 671
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Tienhokou to Nanking—New Chart Published

The following Chinese Admiralty Chart is now on Sale at the Coast Inspector's Office, Custom House, Shanghai:—

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T. J. ELDRIDGE,
Coast Inspector.

THE MARITIME CUSTOMS
Marine Department,
Shanghai, 24th July, 1923
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ANGLO-DANISH SHIPPING CO.
24th July, 1923. 60737. J 26

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No. 1028

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Passes for Grasscloth which have already expired will be similarly renewed for a period of one year from the date of their expiry.

Merchants desiring to avail themselves of this privilege for future importations into Shanghai must declare on their Import Application that the Grasscloth is intended for export abroad, otherwise they will lose the benefits which the new rule affords.

Passes issued for Grasscloth so declared will be marked "Foreign destination declared at time of importation; Pass valid for two years for re-exportation abroad only."

Grasscloth covered by such Passes, if re-exported to a Chinese port after one year, will not be entitled to Drawback or Native Exemption Certificate and will be liable to Export Duty.

Severe penalties will be inflicted on Grasscloth found to be substituted, and the privilege will be liable to withdrawal if abused.

It is to be noted that the privilege granted under this Notification is special and temporary, and is liable to withdrawal as soon as the existing adverse market conditions have improved.

H. E. PRETTEJOHN,
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CUSTOM HOUSE,
Shanghai, 25th July, 1923.
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NOTICE

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The "Conseil d'Administration Municipale de la Concession Francaise de Changhai" hereby invite subscriptions for 8,000 debentures of Tls. 100 each, issued at Tls. 97 each according to the resolution passed at their General Meeting on the 14th May 1923.

The conditions on which the Debenture Certificates will be issued are:

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2°.—The Debentures will be issued at Tls. 97 each.

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4°.—The Debentures will bear interest at 6% per annum, payable on the 31st day of May and 30th day of November in each year, when interest warrants will be issued to the registered owners.

5°.—The Debenture Certificates will be issued and bear interest from 1st July 1923.

6°.—Applications for Debentures will be received at the Secretary's Office, Rue du Consulat, from June 20 next.

A cheque representing the amount of debentures asked for and payable on June 30th must be deposited at the same time.

7°.—Applications for Debentures under 97 will not be recognised by the Council.

8°.—For further informations, apply to Mr. P. Legendre, Secretary, French Municipal Council.
Shanghai, 31st May 1923.

By order,
P. LEGENDRE
Secretary.
T. F. 176

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Shanghai, July 11, 1923.
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60 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
LONDON OFFICE:
36 BISHOPSGATE, E.C.

BRANCHES

Barcelona	Madrid
Batavia	Manila
Bombay	Panama
Calcutta	Peking
Canton	Rangoon
Cebu	San Francisco
Colon	Santo Domingo
Dairen	Shanghai
Hankow	Singapore
Harbin	Soerabaya
Hongkong	Tientsin
Kobe	Tokio
Lyons	Yokohama

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts and Savings Bank accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.
We are also able to offer our Customers the services of the Branches of the National City Bank of New York in the principal countries of South America and in the West Indies.

N. S. MARSHALL, Manager.
1A Kiukiang Road, Shanghai.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital	$60,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$19,760,100.00
Reserve Fund	$ 6,033,345.41

Head Office: Peking.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dairy	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hauchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking
etc.,	etc.,	etc.

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Berlin, New York San Francisco, Tokio, Osaka and Yokohama.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
12 The Bund

Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappy

(*Netherlands Trading Society*)
Established 1824

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 19.445,211 (about £1,620,434)
Special Reserve: Guilders 22,660,000 (about £1,888,333).

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM

Branches:

Bandjermasin	Pekalongen
Bandoeng	Palembang
Bombay	
Calcutta	Pontianak
Cheriben	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerakarta
Kobe	Soerabaya
Kota-Radja	Tegal
Makassar	Tjilatjap
Medan	Welteyreden
Padang	

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.
The Bank buys, sells and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.
Shanghai Interest Allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

M. J. HERBSCHLEB,
Agent.

新江實業銀行 The Chekiang Industrial Bank Ltd.

Established 1908
(Member of the Shanghai Bankers' Association)

Capital	$2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	$300,000.00
Undivided Profits	$120,000.00

Head Office: 14 Hankow Road, Shanghai.
Branches: Hankow and Hangchow.
Domestic Agencies:
In the principal cities throughou China.
Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam, New York, Chicago, San Francisco Hamburg, Berlin, Tokyo, Kobe Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodate, Seoul Fusan and Hongkong.
Banking Department, Foreign Department and Savings Department

LI MING,
General Manager

Tel. C. 7130, Manager's Office, C. 7121 to 7124, General Office.
Cable Address: "CHINDUBANK." Shanghai.

東亞銀行 The Bank of East Asia Ltd.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
No. 1C Kiukiang Road.

Authorised Capital	$10,000,000.00
Paid up Capital	$5,000,000.00
Reserved Fund H.K.	$500,000.00

HEAD OFFICE: Hongkong.
BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon.
LONDON BANKERS: London Joint City and Midland Bank.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. All kinds of banking business transacted.
Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Loans granted on approved securities.

R. CHENG,
Manager.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI.

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On fixed deposits:—
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars.	4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire	16,800,000
Paid up Capital .. Silver	$1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire	4,000,000
Reserves ..... Silver	$150,000

Head Office: Shanghai.
Branches:
Hankow, Peking, Shai, Tientsin.
Bankers:
Italy: Credito Italiano.
England: Credito Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Banque Francaise of Italienne pour l'Amerique du Sud Comptoir National d'Escompts de Paris Banque Italo Belge.
United States: Credito Italiano Equitable Trust Company.
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belge.
Switzerland: Banca Unione di Credito.
Banque Commerciale de le Bale.
Len and Co.'s Bank.
Banca Unione de Credito.
Belgium—Credit General Liegeois
Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U. S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies. Terms on application.
General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.
Telegraphic Address: Sinit
SHANGHAI, No. 16 Kiukiang Road.
Tel. C. Nos. 5090 and 5091.
Managers' Office Central 3004.

C. MARMONT,
CHIN YU SHU,
General Managers.

Passengers Departed

Per K.M.A. s.s. Kaiping for Chinwangtao: Messrs. Eck, Bloom Walters, Stone, Carver, Leslie, Miss Adlam, Miss Watson, Bishop Maloney.
Per M.M. s.s. Chambord for Yokoham: Messrs. L. Basset, Juel Madsen, M. Berraud, J. Ambrose, Conval, G. and R. Fabre, Mr. and Mrs. A. Fabre, Mrs. L. Baillif and child, Miss A. Salvesen, Mrs. J. Schlisler; for Kobe: Mrs. E.X. Burt.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1918)

Subscribed Capital	$2,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund	$200,000.00

SHANGHAI BRANCH
27 Jinkee Road
Telegraphic Address "CHUNGFOO"
Telephone Numbers .... C. 1929 Manager's Office. C. 6468) C. 6469) General Office. C. 6470) C. 5620 T. T. Department.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES IN CHINA

TIENTSIN	Changsha	Hauchow	Shasi
SHANGHAI	Chengteh	Ichang	Soochow
PEKING	Chengchow	Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu
HANKOW	Chinkiang	Nanking	Wusieh
Antung	Fengtien	Ningpo	Wuhu
Canton	Hangchow	Penapu	Yangchow
Changchun	Hongkong	Shaoshing	

FOREIGN AGENCIES AND CORRESPONDENTS

Baltimore	Cincinnati	Montreal	San Francisco
Berlin	Cleveland	New York	Seattle
Boston	Detroit	Osaka	St. Louis
Buffalo	Kobe	Philadelphia	Tokio
Cebu	London	Pittsburgh	Washington
Chicago	Manila	Paris	Yokohama

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in taels, dollars, and other currencies according to arrangement. Savings Deposits taken. All kinds of Trust Business undertaken.
Safe Deposit Boxes.
Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. B. Sun, Manager,
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

MEMBER OF THE SHANGHAI BANKERS' ASSOCIATION
(Established 1915)
Head Offices: 9 Ningpo Road
Hongkew Office: 15 N. Szechuen Road

Branches and agencies in principal cities throughout China
Correspondents in Europe, United States of America, Japan, Hawaiian Islands, Manila, Straits Settlement and Australia.
All kinds of banking business transacted,

K. P. CHEN
General Manager

Telephones C. 4522-4
Cable Address "Comsavbank"

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Capital Fully Paid Up	$2,500,000.00
Reserved Fund	$830,000.00

Head Office: Shanghai:—Peking & Kiangse Roads.
Manager's Office Cen. 2650.
Telephones: General Office Cen. 2613, 2614 and 2615.
Foreign Exchange Dept. C. 7413.
Branches: Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden, Harbin.
Foreign Correspondents: London, New York, San Francisco, Paris, Berlin, Zurich, Hamburg, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, and Osaka.
Domestic Correspondents at all principal cities in China.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, and Yen.
Interest allowed on Deposit at call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.
Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.
Credit granted on approved securities.
SAVINGS ACCOUNTS 4% PER ANNUM
Every description of banking business transacted.
MODERN SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT

EQUITABLE
EASTERN BANKING CORPORATION

Capital..... U. S. $2,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits....U. S. $ 900,000

HEAD OFFICE:—No. 37 Wall Street, New York
Members American Bankers' Association
Correspondents:
The Equitable Trust Company of New York
NEW YORK LONDON PARIS
Mercantile Trust Co., San Francisco, Cal.
Northwestern National Bank, Portland, Ore.
Citizens' National Bank, Los Angeles, Cal.
Amer. Sav. Bk. and Trust Co., Seattle.
Shanghai Branch: Central 7944, 7945, 7946, & 7947

6 Kiukiang Road
CURRENT AND FIXED DEPOSITS ACCEPTED
Interest rates on application
Telegraphic Transfers and Drafts bought and sold
A. E. SCHUMACHER
Manager

Information For Mariners

THURSDAY, JULY 26, 1923

(The night tides are higher than the day tides, they are about equal between 4 and 5 o'clock).
Approximate rise, at springs 4¼ h. at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at springs 8¼ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
11h. 3m.	6ft. 5in.	11h. 27m.	9ft. 2in.

High Water at [illegible]
(The night tides are higher than the day tides).
Approximate rise, 5¼ h: approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M. H.	A.M. M.	P.M. H.	P.M. M.
9	49	10	17

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset.

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
5.28 p.m.	3.21 a.m.	5h. 13m.	6h. 58m.	4h. 23m.	7h. 43m.

Mean Barometric Pressure,
July 29.69 in.
754.3 mm.

東方商業銀行 Oriental Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Authorised Capital $5,000,00
Paid up Capital $2,500,00
Head Office: Hongkong
Branches: Canton, Bangkok.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. Every description of modern banking and exchange business transacted. Interests allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Credits granted on approved securities.
Savings Department.
Special Savings Department for ladies in charge of Chinese ladies well educated and experienced in modern banking.
Bankers.
New York National City Bank,
Westminster Foreign Bank (London),
Union Trust Co., of S. Francisco,
The Canton Bank of S. Francisco
L. C. WAI,
Manager.
36 Kiangse Road

Provision Prices In Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on July 24, 1923.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	16-30
Mutton	"	18-30
Pork	"	30-40
Veal	"	24-35
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	30-40
Cod	"	15-20
Mandarin	"	30-40
Mackerel	"	20-25
Pomfret	"	15-20
Salmon	"	20-25
Samli	"	none
Soles	"	15-20
Whitebait	"	20-25
Game Poultry and Eggs		
Deer	each	none
Eggs	per doz.	30-38
Fowl	per lb.	30-35
Hare	"	none
Partridge	"	none
Pheasant	"	none
Geese	each	70-$1.00
Plover	"	none
Quail	"	none
Snipe	"	none
Teal	"	none
Turkey	per lb.	45-50
Woodcock	each	none
Wild Duck	"	none
Duck	"	60-90
Wild Pigeon	"	none
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	10-12
Apples	"	10-15
Banana	"	8-10
Chestnuts	"	none
Melons	each	none
Cherries	per lb.	none
Cocoanuts	each	15-20
Figs	per lb.	none
Grape fruit	each	20-35
Lemons	"	9-10
Lichees	per lb.	20-25
Oranges	"	$1.00-$1.20
Peaches	per lb.	15-20
Mangoes	each	none
Melons	"	40-50
Mangosteens	per doz.	none
Persimmons	per lb.	none
Pigeons	"	15-20
Peeboes	"	none
Plums	"	10-14
Pumeloes	each	15-20
Pineapples	"	10-12
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	"	10-12
Vegetables		
Artichokes	each	12-14
Asparagus	per doz.	20-30
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	12-15
Beetroot	per bunch	1-2
Bread Beans	per lb.	5-7
Cabbages	each	8-10
Celery	per bunch	2-3
Carrots	"	4-7
Cauliflower	each	none
Egg plant	per lb.	5-6
French Beans	"	10-12
Peas	"	none
Tomatoes	"	5-6
Grain and Flour		
Leeks	per bunch	3-4
Parsnips	"	3-4
Potatoes	per picul	Green Corn each 1-3 $1.50-$2.00
Radishes	"	1-2
Spinach	per lb.	8-10
Onions	"	2-3
Flour American	per 50 lbs.	$4.50
Flour Shanghai	"	$3.00
Bran	per 114 lbs.	$3.30
Barley	"	$4.30
Rice	pr 200 lbs.	$13.20
Milk		
Chinese dairies	per bottle	$0.20
Foreign dairies	"	$0.25
Fuel		
Fire Wood	per 40 bundles	$1.00
Stove Coal	per ton Tls.	19.50
House Coal	"	17.25

E. Kilner,
Chief Inspector.

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST
Yesterday's Close

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	H.$1,135
Chartered	£20½ B.
Russo-Asiatic	Nom
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H.$610 B.
North China	Tls. 188
Union of Canton	H.$226½ B.
Yangtsze	H.$225 B.
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 19 B.
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H.$187
Hongkong Fire	H.$470 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H.$159
Indo-China Pref.	H.$87½ B.
"Shell"	75/6
Shanghai Tug ord.	Tls. 82½ B.
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 53 B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 20 B.
Oriental Cons.	18/-
Raub	$5½
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.$151½
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 99 B.
New Eng. Works	Tls. 6½ B.
" Pref.	Tls. 5.20
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 194
Hongkong Wharf	H.$162
Lands and Hotels	
S'hai Hotel, Ltd.	$45 B.
China Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 50
L.-French Land	Tls. 121 B.
Shanghai Land	Tls. 121 B.
Carlton Ltd.	Tls. 58 S.
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 12¼ B.
E-wo (pref.)	Tls. 110 B.
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 8 B.
Oriental	Tls. 6.10
Shanghai Cotton	Tls. 80 B.
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	$222½ B.
Green Island	$30½
Langkats	Tls. 30½
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
T'hai Sumatra	Tls. 87½ B.
Stores	
Hall and Holts	$6¾ B.
Llewelyn	$42½
Lane Crawford	$100 B.
Pountrie	$55 B.
Watson	H.$20 B.
Wooks	$18
Rubbers (local)	
Alma	Tls. 7 B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.50 B.
Anglo-Java	Tls. 6½ B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 3.05 B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 22½ B.
Batu Anam 1910	Tls. 1.07½ B
Bute	Tls. 0.70 B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 1.15 B.
Chemor United	Tls. 1.10 B.
Chempedak	Tls. 5¼ B.
Cheng	Tls. 2 B.
Consolidated	Tls. 2.35 B.
Dominion	Tls. 2.35 B.
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 10¾ B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 13 B.
Kapayang	Tls. 11 B.
Karas	Tls. 7 B.
Kedah	Tls. 1.22½ B.
Koth Bahroe	Tls. 1.20 B.
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 15 B.
Padang	Tls. 5.95 B.
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 1.27½ B
Permata	Tls. 3.15 B.
Repah	Tls. 0.92½ B
Samagagas	Tls. 0.87½ B.
Seekees	Tls. 1.12½ B.
Semambu	Tls. 1.40 B.
Senawang	Tls. 1.17½ B
S'hai Kiebang	Tls. 0.70 B.
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 4
	10 Old B.
	9½ New B.
S'hai Malay Prod.	
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 1.05 B.
Sungala	Tls. 1.37½ B
Sungei Duri	Tls. 10 B.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 3¼ B.
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 0.77½ B.
Taiping	Tls. 0.70 B.
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.82½ B
Tebong	Tls. 1.40 B.
Xiangbee	Tls. 3.55 B.
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 325
Culty Dairy	Tls. 14
Shanghai Trams.	Tls. 150 B.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 38½ B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 71 B.
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 177½ B.

S. Sellers. Ss. Sales. B. Buyers

Steamers Arrived

July 25—H. N'shao from Ningpo
July 25—H. Peking from Ningpo
July 25—Teiyo M. from S. F'cisco
July 25—Chihaya from .....
July 25—Peleus from Japan
July 25—Telt from Dairen
July 25—Nanchang from A'tung
July 25—Haean from Foochow
July 25—Kutwo from Hankow
July 25—Tatung from Hankow
July 25-Yunyang M. from H'kow
July 25—Talee M. from Hankow
July 25—Shinlee from Tientsin
July 25—Taisho M. from C'tao
July 25—Tahung M. from H'kow

Money Exchange

Shanghai, July 25, 1923

Mex. Dollars market rate	72.0375
Native Interest	.03
Copper Cash	248.000
Bar Silver	30½
Shanghai Gold Bar	339¾
Bank rate of Discount	8%
Paris on London	.77
New York on London	459½
London—	
Telegraphic Transfer	3/0½
Demand	3/0⅝
New York—	
Telegraphic Transfer	.70
Demand	70¼

OPENING RATES

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank
Open quotations 9:30 a.m.

BANKS' SELLING RATES

London (T.T.)	3/0½
London (Demand)	3/0⅝
London 4 m-s	3/0¾
India (T.T.)	226
France (T.T.)	1180
America (T.T.)	70
Hongkong (T.T.)	74½
Japan (T.T.)	70
Batavia (T.T.)	182½
Straits (T.T.)	76½

BANK'S BUYING RATE

London 4 m-s Credits	3/1¾
London 4 m-s Docts	3/2
London 6 m-s Credits	3/2¼
London 6 m.s. Docts.	
France 4 m-s	1230
America 4 m-s L/c	72½
Docs	73

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates

@ 70⅝ = Tls. 141.59
@ exch. 72.3 = Mex. $195.84

Sovereign Bank Buying Rate

@ 3/0½ = Tls. 6.50
@ exch. 72.3 = Mex. $8.99

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR JULY

Hk. Tls. 5.78	@ 3/1¼	£1
Hk. Tls. 1.26	@ 71⅝	Gold $1
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1140½	Fr. 12.71
Hk. Tls. 1	@ —	Marks —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 68⅜	Yen 1.62
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 230¼	Rupees 2.56
Hk. Tls. 1	@ —	Roubles —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1.50	Mex. $1.50
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 15.40	Ital Lire 17.16

International Banking Corporation
CLOSING COUNTER RATES

Demand selling on America 69¾
Demand buying on America 70⅝
Demand selling on London 3/0
Demand buying on London 3/0⅛

CHINESE GOV. BONDS
(Supplied by Sing Tung & Co.)

	Tuesday.	Yes'day's.
3rd Year 6%	93.50	93.50
5th Year 6%	57.25	57.00
7th Year 6%	46.50	46.50
9th Year 6%	70.35	68.00
6% Consolidated	51.65	50.00
7% Consolidated	60.00	57.50
11th Year 8%	98.00	98.00
96 Millions 8%	26.10	25.90

ROUBLE EXCHANGE
BANK'S BUYING RATE

Roubles 330,000 ..... Tls. 100
Roubles 100 ..... Mex. $0.04

SINO-ITALIAN BANK
Bank's Selling Rates

It. Lire 15 16 = 1 Tael
Swiss Frs. 3.87 = 1 Tael
Marks 150.000 = 1 Tael
Equivalent Foreign Quotations
It. Lire 104.95 = 1 Pound Sterling
It. Lire 22.80 = 1 U. S. Dollar
It. Lire 134.65 = 100 Fr. Francs

MARVEL "WHIRLING SPRAY" SYRINGE
The Marvel Whirling Spray Syringe is the most successful and perfect ladies syringe on the market with for healths
Marvel 40, Canton Road
SHANGHAI.

Exchange Fluctuations
Asia Banking Corporation

Spot and forward bar silver were each down 3-16d. in London yesterday. The New York price declined to 63⅛ cents and the London-New York cross rate advanced to 459 11-16.

The only change in our official quotations here today was a drop in the Franc rate to 1180. Our market today was steady and very quiet indeed. There were sellers of Sterling at 3-6 9-16 for July, 3-0½ for August and 3-0 7-16 for September.

There were sellers of Gold Dollars at 70⅛ for near delivery and 70 for forward. There were sellers of Yen at 69⅝ for near delivery and 69¾ for forward.

Banks were quoting 3-1⅛, 71¾ and 1220 for Sterling, Gold Dollar and Franc bills respectively.

India sold silver in London yesterday and the market is reported as closing steady. New York report their market as dull and quiet.

Stock Exchange
Transactions

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS
Shanghai, July 25, 1923
OFFICIAL

Langkats (Single) Tls. 12.00
Telephones Tls. 71.00
Chemors Tls. 1.10
Chengs Tls. 2.00
Sungei Duri Tls. 10.00
Samagagas Tls. 0.90
Taipings Tls. 0.75
Kroewceks Tls. 15.00
Gulas Tls. 10.90
Kota Bahroe Tls. 1.20
Anglo Javas Tls. 6.60
Shanghai Klebangs Tls. 0.70

UNOFFICIAL

S. M. C. 6% Gold Loan £106.00
S. M. C. 7% Debs. 1922 Tls. 106.00
S. M. C. 8% Debs. 1921 Tls. 112.00
S. M. C. 7% Debs. 1919 Tls. 106.00
Langkats (Single) Tls. 12.00
S'hai Explorations Tls. 11.00
Anglo Dutch Tls. 3.10
Batu Anams Tls. 1.12½ Aug.

Weather Report

Remarks on the 24.—High pressures over the Bonin and over southern Kiusiu. The Pacific Ocean typhoon is nearing Luzon WNW ward. Another low center is probably forming over the Carolines. Summer monsoon along our coasts. Cyclonic circulation over Manchuria. Fine and hot weather with thunderstorms in China. Rainy at Haiphong.

Morning of the 25th.—Fine weather. Summer monsoon, freshening at times. Steady pressure. The typhoon east of Northern Luzon is inclining NW ward and threatens the Ballintang Channel and afterwards the China Sea.

TEXACO
HEAVY MACHINERY OILS
HEAVY ENGINE OILS
THE TEXAS COMPANY
PETROLEUM PRODUCTS

Terrible Wound from Abdomen to Hip

Our portrait is of Mrs. M. MACE, of 97, Brettell Lane, Stourbridge, England, who writes:

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In the view of The Refugee Relief Advisory Committee repatriation or emigration form the sole solution of the problem that confronts Shanghai, writes Mr. A. E. Lockyer, Honorary Secretary of the committee.

"It is no use blinking at the fact," he adds, "that as refugees have to undergo added privations that the percentage of crime is bound to be in the ascendant and this in itself is a menace to the community at large, so that in helping the refugees the community is really helping itself.

"One look at those men who we see in the streets is enough to convince one of their sufferings. Their gaunt looks, their unsuitable clothes, the distance they have to tramp to get the modest meal which we are able to put on at the Soup Kitchen. Let people consider that these men have not even the means of obtaining a drink of iced water and this in itself is hardship enough in the heat of summer.

"The main object of our Committee is repatriation or emigration but it is no use striving towards this end if we cannot feed the refugees until such time as this becomes possible. It is only the public who can help us at the present moment as the Council will not or cannot move, the Consular body would appear to be too busy and the Chinese government is slow to move, although we are not without hope that they will come to our assistance in the matter of transportation over the Chinese Government Railways.

"It is hopeless to expect the greater portion of the refugees to get absorbed in the trade of this port as most of them are quite unsuited to the work here, the language difficulty is great, so that the only solution must be repatriation or emigration. If the public will give us their help and if public opinion will make itself heard there is no doubt that officialdom will have to act. In the meantime it would be a crying shame on the good name of Shanghai to let these people starve in the midst of plenty."

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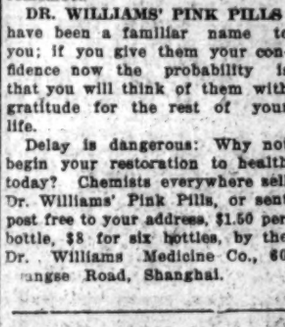

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WEATHER

Fine and hot weather. Rather, fresh summer monsoon over our coasts. The typhoon having reached the Ballintang channel shows a tendency to recurve again N. W. Wards. Cyclonic storms between southern Formosa and the Kwangtung coast.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Johnson express their heartfelt thanks for the expression of condolence rendered by friends on their late bereavement.

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The Situation In The Philippines

The action of the independence faction of the Filipino politicos in passing a solution demanding that President Harding recall Governor-General Wood is but another glaring example of their political ineptitude. Why do the Filipino people allow such political morons to speak for them, when the people themselves have no desire that anyone else be placed in the governor's chair at Manila. They are satisfied with the improvement in the Islands' administration that General Wood has effected.

The Philippine Islands have the services of one of the most excellent and inspired organisers and administrators the United States possesses in the person of General Wood but the efforts of the jealous politicos, from the very first, have not been constructive co-operation, but destructive blocking at every opportunity. The Governor-General's work has been somewhat impeded by this opposition but despite the adverse conditions under which he has labored Gen. Wood has performed real service and is deserving of the heartfelt thanks of the Filipino people.

We predict that not only will President Harding refuse to recall General Wood, or give more than passing notice to the politicos' demand, but that Congress in its next session will take under consideration and possibly pass legislation changing the present Organic Act of 1916 known as the Jones Act, under which the Governor-General's powers are set forth, so that the Governor-General will be given more power.

Under the present laws the Governor-General's appointments must be ratified by the Filipino legislature. General Wood, consequently, has had to do the best he could in picking men for the responsible governmental positions who not only suited him as departmental executives but who would also meet with the support of Manuel Quezon, the president of the Senate and the political boss of the Islands. Quezon has used the legislature's ratification power as a club over General Wood's head and the recent resignation of the Cabinet and the threat of non-cooperation by the legislative bodies was simply an over-zealous exercise of the power Quezon has gathered into his hands.

The Jones Act should be—and if the Republicans can muster enough strength in the next Congress unquestionably will be—changed so that the Governor-General will not have to have his appointments ratified by the legislature. The responsibility is his, and he therefore should have the power to make appointments that will insure his responsibility being amply protected by trusted executives reporting to him rather than to Quezon and his questionable cohorts.

If the laws are changed, as they should be, General Wood will not be incessantly bothered by petty politics, but will be in a position, if need be, to appoint Americans to important executive positions, instead of accepting second-class Filipino politicians as members of his Cabinet and assistants in the governing of the archipelago.

The Jones Act has caused more trouble in the Philippines that any other single thing and while it should not be swept from the statute books in toto it most assuredly should be changed so that American influence will again become predominant. Under the present conditions the Philippines will never reach that degree of responsible government where the United States will consent to give them their independence. General Wood may still be able to teach them something about modern government, but independence for the Philippines is further off today than it was six months ago.

More Truth Than Poetry

BY S. E. KISER

He was sitting on a bench in a corner of a square,
Watching pigeons that were eating scattered corn;
His countenance was covered by a three weeks' growth of hair,
And I thought he looked a little bit forlorn;
I took a seat beside him—not too close, I may explain—
And I helped to watch the pigeons picking up the scattered grain.

His clothes had gone to seed in the dear dead long ago,
His collar had a raw edge, well defined;
"Out of work?" I asked, intending in a friendly way to show
That I felt compassion for him and his kind.
He nodded without turning, and at length he answered: "Yes,"
His interest still centered on the pigeons, more or less.

"What's the trouble, friend?" I asked.
"Nothing doing in your line?
Is there no one who will give you any chance?"
For a time he kept on gazing at the birds that stayed to dine,
Then he turned to me with candor in his glance.
"Oh, I guess there may be chances that a man could find," said he.
"But I ain't discovered any that looks very good to me.

"What I want is some nice place, with a cushion in a chair,
And a shiny desk, and pictures on the wall,
And I'd like a blond young lady kind of stickin' 'round me there.
And a strong man keepin' guard out in the hall,
But I ain't found anybody that was anyways inclined
For to coax me in by makin' propositions of them kind."

I am ready to admit that I felt a little peeved;
I suggested revolution as his wish,
But he shook his head and answered, looking very much aggrieved:
"That ain't no present part of my ambish;
I am waitin' for a patent, and I want to make it known
That, with money comin' to me, I'm for lettin' things alone."

Once Overs

BY J. J. MUNDY

As soon as you become angry at someone, do you think of doing that person bodily injury?

You think it would be gratifying to you to see him lying crushed and bleeding at your feet, isn't it true?

You allow yourself to get worked up on such a pitch that there is murder in your heart, or as near it as possible while keeping from committing a crime.

If you would use a bit of common sense you would know that such thoughts and feelings injure you physically if not the other person.

Are you not ashamed of the things you have contemplated as a means of "getting even" with some person against whom you have a grievance?

If you gave as much thought to placing yourself in a position where this man could have no influence on your job or your standing, as you do to thoughts of revenge by doing him a physical injury you would be more successful and far happier.

Why cultivate the animal spirit, the fighting element in your makeup when it gets you no-where?

A successful man is one who can take a hole and make a doughnut out of it.

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If Great Britain agrees to a 12-mile limit for booze we suppose that will also mean Americans will have to throw their chewing gum overboard at the same mile post when Englandward bound.

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REMARKABLE REMARKS

"He is a poor creature who does not believe himself to be better than the whole world else. No matter how ill we may be, or how low we have fallen, we would not change identity with any other person."—Samuel Butler.

"Doth perfect beauty stand in need of praise at all? Nay; no more than law, no more than truth, no more than loving kindness, nor than modesty."—Marcus Aurelius.

"All thoughts that mould the age begin down deep within the primitive soul."—James Russel Lowell.

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After raising our right hand and swearing we hereby announce our complete agreement with Bert Moses in asserting that golf is more a language than it is a game anyway.

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A ten year old girl in the United States is writing song hits. Some of the ones we've heard of late cause us to believe it.

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OLD CHINESE PROVERBS

"The fool who's loath to spend the wealth he's got becomes the laughing stock of after ages."

"Youth's years how few! Age how sure!"

"A friend who is not as firm as a great rock is of no profit and idly bears the name."

"Prosperity and decay each have their season."

"Success is bitter when it is slow in coming."

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We have been officially informed that there is no truth in the base rumor that a farmer en route to the Hongkew market yesterday dropped a basket of eggs which were hardfried before he could pick them up. Three of the eggs, however, were hatched in seven seconds.

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BURIAL SONGS

"The Dew on the Garlic-leaf"
(Sung at the burial of Kings and Princes)

How swiftly it dries,
The dew on the garlic-leaf.
The dew that rises so fast
Tomorrow will fall again.
But he whom we carry to the grave
Will never more return.

"The Graveyard"
(Sung at the burial of common men)

What man's land is the graveyard?
It is the crowded home of ghosts—
Wise and foolish shoulder to shoulder.
The King of the Dead claims them all:
Man's fate know no tarrying.

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Capt. Kearney was shadowed for a week or so before his arrest at Chinghai. From all reports the Captain would cast quite some shadow.

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As Six Shooter Liz would ejaculate Sheriff Whoozit listened with eagle-ear to the jazz ditty. "Aha!" sezze, "They say they ain't got no bananas—they mean 75 mi. howitzers. Up an' at 'em my hearites!"

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Today is the day of the great golf match between President Harding and the Governor of British Columbia at Vancouver. If the President plays his usual game the score will never be known by the public at large. As a goluffer Mr. Harding is a great President.

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Babies born at sea under foreign flags will be admitted to the United States in the future in spite of any dismal old law. What, as the book saith, are the laws of man to the immutable laws of nature?

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Yes, Little Garlic-san, a lotta wimmen argue in just the same way they get off the w.k. tram.

Larry

Henry Ford's Presidential Aspirations

The entire press of America seems to be discussing the presidential aspirations of Henry Ford. Some of the newspapers heap ridicule on the idea, others take it seriously but are non-committal, and still others come out strongly for or against his plans. The only thing we can be certain of at the present time is that Henry Ford is an avowed candidate for a nomination. Whether his plans or those of his managers are to capture the Democratic nomination, or whether they really seriously plan the formation of a Third Party, is not yet quite clear. In political affairs in America, as elsewhere, one cannot always accept even the most formal statements at their face value. Many of our readers no doubt recall that only a few days after we received a cable out here in which Henry Ford was reported to have declared that he was "too busy" to be President, we received a second cable announcing definitely that he had "thrown his hat into the ring" which, in American election parlance means he had entered the fight for the nomination.

It is early yet to discuss seriously the chances of Henry Ford's becoming President of the United States. The actual nomination for the office will not be made until next summer and the election itself takes place a year from next November. Ford has entered the ring very early and there never has been a man in the United States, except a President for a second term, who has been so thoroughly boomed for the office a year in advance of the actual time of nomination. To make a rough guess, and a very rough one, as it must be so far in advance, we should say that Henry Ford has about as good a chance of being next President of the United States as any single individual one might pick, except President Harding, who will, of course, stand for re-election. By this, we do not mean, that Ford is by any means the best man or the most available, but simply that he, because of the big organisation behind him, has probably as good a chance as anyone else. But very much can happen in a year in American politics and on the events that transpire within the next twelve months will depend to a large extent whether or not President Harding will be renominated and re-elected.

Next December, there assembles in Washington, the most radical Congress that America has ever had. The balance of power is in the hands of the Progressive Republicans and many of their leaders return to Washington with such an unqualified personal endorsement of their individual powers and past records, that they will rightfully be inclined to accept dictation from nobody. President Harding is a tactful man and likes to avoid friction of all kinds. His personal popularity is undoubted, but the achievements of his Administration up to the present time are quite dubious and have aroused little or no enthusiasm among the millions who voted for him in November 1920. But the real test of his Administration will start next December, and his success will be determined by the manner in which he can co-operate with the incoming Congress which for brains, ability and a determination really to do something in public affairs will tower head and shoulders above the President's Cabinet. From this situation we may expect great changes in America's political system. In our opinion, beginning next December Congress is going to run the American Government, as in our opinion it should do.

If President Harding accepts the inevitable and realises that real power and real responsibility for governing has passed from the Executive to the Legislative branch of the Government, he may render his country a great service, and may make himself the inevitable candidate for renomination and re-election. When Theodore Roosevelt was in the White House, he interpreted the will of the American people far more accurately and far earlier than did the various congresses which, he, for this reason and for this reason alone, more or less dominated. In Taft's administration, the Executive branch of the Government sank back in what Roosevelt himself later described as "flabby indecision." When Wilson came in, he attempted greatly to increase the power of the Executive and for a short time he succeeded. But Wilson was guided by his own ideas, and these ideas did not square with the wishes of the American public. As a result Wilson's Party lost control of his own Congress even in the midst of war. As far as unqualified disapproval of their Administrations is concerned, Taft and Wilson vie with each other for first place among discredited Chief Executives in American political history. Taft, with a mere handful of votes, ran a poor third in the elections of 1912, and Wilson's record is generally held responsible for the fact that President Harding received, in 1920, the greatest popular vote that was ever given any individual in the history of the world.

But the "flabby indecision" of Taft and the self-will and poor judgment of Wilson had already greatly injured the popular respect for the office of Chief Executive which had grown up under the Roosevelt Administration. In many of the state elections held last year, the Administration candidates received overwhelming defeats. The victories, however, did not go to any great extent to the Democrats but rather to individual Progressive Republicans of the type that made such a strenuous but unsuccessful effort to elect Theodore Roosevelt in 1912 as a candidate on a Progressive ticket. These men are now in control and if President Harding, beginning next December, can co-operate with them by carrying out, as Chief Exective, their orders, issued in the form of legislative enactments, he will have an excellent chance of being renominated and re-elected President of the United States. The old political parties, both Republican and Democratic, are very much split up and their organisations are by no means as all powerful as they have been in the past.

It is for this reason that men like Henry Ford, who has undoubtedly a very large following in all parts of the country, can make himself a power that has to be reckoned with. He is the richest man in America and made his money through the production of a very cheap and useful article, constructed by the highest paid labor in the United States. It is Ford who put the laborers and farmers of America in automobiles and it is Ford who has openly defied Wall Street and in doing so, has become the richest man in a country where the acquisition of wealth is the hope and ambition of the great majority of both men and women. Under such circumstances Ford is a man who must be reckoned with in political affairs. He has still a full year in which to organise and conduct his campaign for the nomination, and is already so well known, that the most persistent publicity campaign of his opponents will be more or less powerless to alter the opinion of the people of America.

In this respect, it is interesting to recall that in many of the elections last year, the successful candidates were those most bitterly opposed by the largest and most powerful newspapers of the country. There may be those who think that since Roosevelt himself could not organise a successful Third Party, it will be quite impossible for Henry Ford to do so. This, however, is not an absolutely safe deduction. Ford has well more than a year in which to work and Roosevelt had only a few weeks. Roosevelt had, it is true, the prestige of nearly two full successful terms in the white House, but as against this, he was forced to run counter to America's prejudice against a third term for President. There is another factor which must not be left out of consideration. In 1923, the idea of a Third Party is much more prevalent and the disintegration of the party organisations of both Republicans and Democrats has progressed much further than in 1912, when Roosevelt's enthusiastic efforts to create a Third Party over night resulted in the election of President Wilson.

There is still another consideration which must not be overlooked. If Ford succeeds in creating a real Third Party, this means that both the Republicans and Democrats will run their own candidates in a real three cornered political battle for the Presidency. It is quite within the bounds of possibility that not one of the three candidates would receive a majority of the electoral vote. In this case, the selection of President would be thrown into the House of Representatives, and each State in such a ballot has only one vote. New York would have no more influence than the State of Nevada. It would be the present House that assembles next December, that would make the choice. In the same way the present Senate would select the Vice-President. The choice of the House and Senate would be limited to the three candidates receiving the highest electoral vote in the previous election. Therefore, it is quite possible that if Henry Ford succeeds in forming a real powerful Third Party, that can carry a fair number of States, and if the Republicans and Democrats both stay in the ring, a situation will arise by which the next President and Vice-President of the United States, will be selected by the present House and Senate of a Republican congress in which the Progressive element controls. This is another reason why those who have a high personal regard for President Harding, without any undue enthusiasm for the accomplishments of his Administration up to the present time, hope that he will be able to co-operate successfully with the incoming Progressive congress.

The political situation in America is a novel one and all indications point more and more to the fact that the Congress of the United States is in the very near future to become in America, as legislatures are in all other great countries in the world, the real governing body. —North China Star.

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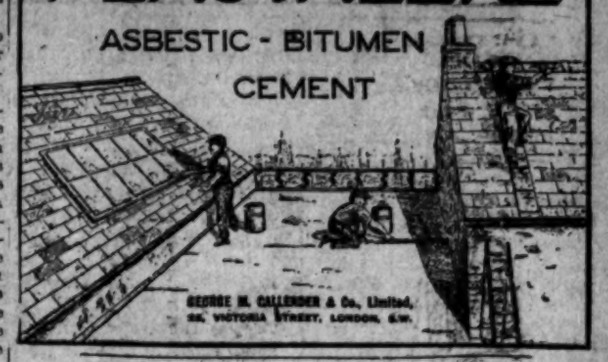

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By George McManus

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I WANT YOU TO BE HAPPY- MAGGIE ME DARLIN'-
YOU'RE A DEAR- MRS. MINNIE APOLIS WILL BE HERE TONIGHT AND I WANT YOU TO SEE HER-
WHO IS THE JEWELRY STORE?
MRS. MINNIE APOLIS-
SAY- HAVE A ROOM READY- I THINK I'LL BE WITH YOU SOON-
POOR HOUSE
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"Exclaiming" Patter Bridge

BY RING W. LARDNER

To THE EDITOR:

Some wks. ago I wrote a article in these columns on musical bridge whist and described how smooth a pair of bridge players could get along together provided the both of them was well verst in old songs and could signal across the table to each other by just humming or whistling.

Little did I think when I penned that article that it would revolutionize the bridge industry, but am told by officials of the N. Y. whist club that all the big games today is being played in accordances with the hints give out in that article and former star players who win rubber after rubber under the old regime is now helpless when opposed to players that has wds. and music of popular songs at there beck and call.

Further and more the sale of old song books has increased more than 300 per cent since the article come out, a practical knowledge of there contents being now considered as important a adjunct to a high class game of bridge as a pt. of scotch and 2 ash trays.

However it can be readly seen that as soon as all players has mastered the art of musical bridge, why they won't be no advantage in playing it because when a player signals there partner what they have got or what to lead by means of a song, the opponents will also recognize the signal and profit by same.

For this reason it looks to me like now was the time for another novelty to be introduced and I have therefore invented a system which we will can patter bridge and which I will try and exclaim so as my readers can practice it up and maybe get a few 1000 dollars ahead on it before it sweeps the country like musical bridge done.

Will exclaim to start with that patter is a theatrical turn meaning chit chat. Practically all women players patters continually through a bridge game and they will have less difficulty getting away with patter bridge than men players as they can cut loose with a verable deluge of apparently meaningless wds. and sentences without exciting no suspicions.

However a man player can divert suspicion by pretending like he is a trifle stewed and kind of talky. The opponents will just laugh at him and think he will be easy to beat on acct. of his condition whereas every wd. he says will have a meaning which his partner understands and can take advantage of same.

In introducing musical bridge to my admirers I described a game of it in which I and a young lady win $2600.00 from a couple of dumb bells at a exclusive 3d. ave. card club.

Perhaps the best way to introduce patter bridge would be to report my first attempt at same which was in the nature of a test and which netted my partner and I the handsome sum of $14,500.00. This test game was played in a taxicab coming from Altoona to N. Y. and our opponents was a Mr. and Mrs. Gbd of the Gbd Rubber Co. and dirty with money.

My partner was a little gal named Eva Whale who I had once met at a wealthy uncle of mine where she done the cooking. It was a big surprise when we found ourself in the same taxi after all those yrs.

Mr. Gbd was the one who suggested the bridge game and wile the driver was getting us a table I whispered my scheme in Miss Whale's ear and she took to it like water to a duck's back. It will be noted that several of our signals brought in French wds. but a knowledge of the mother tongue is merely a help and not a necessity.

Well Mrs. Gbd was the first dealer and she bid a I no trump. The rest of us past and it was my lead.

"Listen," says Miss Whale just like it was ordinary conversation, "guess where I had lunch yesterday."

So I asked her where and she says she had it at the Lambs so I figured that clubs was her strong suit.

"What did you have?" I asked her.

"Wheat cakes," was her reply and I realized she must have eight clubs as wheat is the French wd. for eight. So I led out my five diamonds which run from the ace down to the ten and then led her a low club and she took the rest of the tricks as she had discarded five losing hearts on my diamond leads. We thus started off with a grand slam besides setting the Gbds six odd. The last named was dumb floundered.

It was my next deal and I bid a spade and Mr. Gbd doubled.

"When I get to N. Y.," says Miss Whale, "I am going to see a ball game."

By this remark I gathered that her best suit was a diamond.

"I want to see the Giants play," continued Miss Whale. "I am a great admirer of that veteran left hand pitcher they have got."

Well the veteran left hand pitcher on the Giants is Neht which is the French wd. for nine so I knowed she had nine diamonds. Mrs. Gbd took her partner out of his double with a bid of 2 clubs. I had all the honors in hearts and spades along with the ace and 2 clubs. So I bid seven diamonds which our opponents doubled and we treated ourself to another grand lambo. By this time the Gbds. was dumb floundered.

Mr. Gbd now dealt and bid 3 diamonds himself and Miss Whale immediately begin reciting a old verse which I had not heard since boyhood days.

"Lemonade made in the shade and stirred," says Miss Whale.

Well I remembered the wds. which comes after stirred namely "with a spade," so as I had good help for a spade bid, why when it come my turn I bid 3 spades and they let us have it and this time we had to be content with a small salambo but the Gbds was absolutely dumb floundered. Miss Whale of course would of bid the spade herself only she felt for some reason another that maybe I would play the hand a whole lot better.

This same reasoning led her to make the following remark afer she had dealt the next hand.

"Another thing I am going to see in N. Y. is a good western picture. I am a great admire of Will Rogers and Tom Mix and those kind of actors."

Of course it was plain that she was ainting at the name of W. S. Hart and had a heart bid of her own but wanted me to play the hand. So I bid a heart and this time we slumped and only took 5 odd. It was during this hand that I forgot how many trumps was out and my partner seen my distress.

"If they is one animal I love it is a cat," she says and I realized they was still 4 trumps out as cat is the French wd. for 4.

Well on the next deal I had 8 clubs so I asked Miss Whale if she said she "eight" at the Lambs and she took the hint and we made a grand salambo. But by this time the Gbds was utterly disappointed and they left the taxi at Newark after giving me a check 500.00 which I give $4,500 of it to Miss Whale for the way she had helped me along.

NEW GEMS by O. HENRY

A Treasure-Trove of Humor From His Newly Discovered Newspaper Writings

IN DOUBT

THEY lived in a neat little cottage on Prairie Avenue, and had been married about a year. She was young and sentimental and he was a clerk at $50 per month. She sat rocking the cradle and looking at a bunch of something pink and white that was lying asleep, and he was reading the paper.

"Charlie," she said, presently, "you must begin to realise that you must economise and lay aside something each month for the future. You must realise that the new addition to our home that will bring us joy and pleasure, and make sweet music around our fireside must be provided for. You must be ready to meet the obligations that will be imposed upon you, and remember that another than ourselves must be considered, and that as our hands strike the chords so shall either harmony or discord be made, and as the notes mount higher, we shall be held to account for our trust here below. Do you realise the responsibility?"

Charlie said "Yes," and then went out in the wood-shed and muttered to himself: "I wonder whether she was talking about the kid, or means to buy a piano on the installment plan."

AN "E" FOR A KNEE

When Pilgrim fathers landed safe
On Plymouth Rock at last,
They bowed their heads and bent a knee,
And kept a holy fast.

But now to celebrate the day
We dine to say the least—
We add our "e" into their plan
And change their fast to feast.

WILLING TO TRY

A Louisiana street car rather over crowded with passengers was flagged down at a crossing yesterday, and a handsome young lady boarded the platform. The conductor opened the car door and shouted: "saw, can't you all squeeze this lady in here?" And about twelve able-bodied men rose up and said they'd try if it started a divorce suit.

Free Power From The Earth

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS

It begins to look as if the most neglected, though at the same time perhaps the most inexhaustible, source of mechanical energy that the earth contains, is about to be brought into competition, locally, with water power and coal. Like these it will act through the intermediary of electricity. I refer to the energy of the earth's internal heat.

Owing to the low conduction of the rocky crust, this hidden heat is virtually useless in keeping the surface of the planet warm and comfortable. I have several times, lately, pointed out how extremely slight is the contribution thus furnished toward maintaining the habitable condition of the earth. But, in another way, the internal heat may prove to be, eventually, far more important to man than ever coal has been. If it could be reached everywhere as easily as it can be in certain localities that would surely be the case.

So far, naturally, the attempts to utilise this store of energy have been on a small scale. Italy led the way as long ago as 1903. Even before that there had been some use made of natural steam jets issuing from the earth near Volterra, Tuscany, for domestic heating. But in that year some far-seeing genius drove down pipes where the steam had from time immemorial issued from cracks in the ground, and obtained steady currents of very hot steam—no less than 302 degrees farenheit, or ninety degrees above the boiling point, of water.

This steam as it comes from the earth is charged with gases and mineral impurities, and it had been used not only for heating houses, but especially as a source of boric acid, which was deposited by it in commercial quantities. Although when piped and used as a source of energy it developed force enough to drive directly a 40-horse-power engine, yet this use of it had soon to be discontinued because it choked the apparatus with deposits of boric acid. Then the plan was thought out of using it simply as a source of heat to boil pure water in a boiler. This plan worked admirably, and soon a 300-horsepower turbine engine was runing upon heat supplied from the earth. During the coal shortage of the war, the operations at Volterra were extended, and sufficient energy was obtained to run a 300-kilowatt electric plant, which supplied power by transmission cables not ony to Volterra, but to Florence, Leghorn, and other cities and towns in Tuscany.

Now, news comes of a concession granted by the Chilean government for utilising in a similar manner the hot steam mingled with gases that issue from the Tatio volcano in the canton of Sud Lipez. The concessionaire calculates that he can obtain 50,000-horse-power by direct use of the steam in a turbine engine, the contained gases being less troublesome than those of the Volterra vents. He intends to furnish power for local mining, and also for the electrification of the Bolivian railroads, the source of the steam being near the Chile-Bolivia frontier.

These are not very great beginnings, but they are greatly impressive. In every volcanic country as well as in many which are not thus classed, but where hot springs and steam vents show that there is great heat in the rocks at a small depth below the surface, similar undertakings would have a chance of success. Italy must have a considerable number of such places, and Japan ought to be fairly rich in them.

Iceland with its giant volcanoes and many geysers and hot springs, looks like a promising spot for the reformed Vulcan to set up his shop and serve industrious, hard-working man, more faithfully than he used to serve the old, lazy, holiday-stuffed, gods of Olymus.

Our own Alaska with its active volcanoes and fire-sources may turn out to be another nature-made power-plant, which, a century, or half-a-century hence, may be carrying civilisation to heights not now scalable to it. The placid inhabitants of the coral islands, relics of a vanished and playedout state of man, asked nothing of the earth but plenty of bread-fruit trees; but the future masters of this globe will demand of her not free bread but free power.

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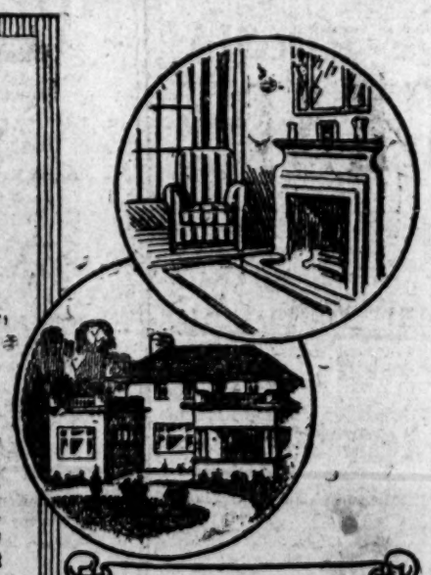

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GENERAL SHIPPING NEWS

Vessels Loading

For River Ports

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. KUTWO, 2,464 Tons, Captain Dowson, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Thursday, July 26, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Cen. 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. KIANGAN, Captain Rose, will leave on Thursday, July 26, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LOONGWO, 3,925 Tons, Captain Holmwood, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Friday, July 27, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LUENHO, 2,868 tons, Captain Woodget, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Monday, July 30, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. KUNGWO, 4,635 Tons, Captain Gibb, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, July 31, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

For Southern Ports

NINGPO.—The steamer HSIN KIANGTEEN, Captain Randbye, will leave on Thursday, July 26, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

FOOCHOW, KEELUNG AND TAKAO.—The O.S.K.'s Cargo and Passenger Steamer FUKUKEN MARU, 5,000 tons, Capt. T. Nanbu will be despatched from O.S.K. Yangtszepoo Wharf on July 26, at ———— For Freight or Passage, apply to THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA, No. 2 Canton Road, Phone C. 4234.

FOOCHOW.—The Str. HAEAN Captain Taylor, will leave on Friday morning, July 27. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

NINGPO & POOTOO.—The Str. HSIN KIANGTEEN, Capt. Randbye, will leave on Saturday, July 28, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HONGKONG.—The Canadian Pacific Steamships, Ltd., s.s. EMPRESS OF RUSSIA will leave Woosung on Saturday, July 28. The tender Alexandra will leave the Customs Jetty for Woosung with Passengers and Mail at 8:00 a.m. on Saturday. For Passage, apply to A. H. TESSIER, Palace Hotel Building, 19A Bund, Phone C. 182. For Freight, apply to N. LEES SMITH corner of Peking and Yuen Ming Roads. 'Phone C. 181.

For Northern Ports

NEWCHWANG DIRECT.—The Str. TOONAN, Capt. Nielson, will leave on Thursday morning, July 26. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HAKODATE: The s.s. TUNGUS will be despatched for the above port on or about August 2. For Freight and/or Passage apply to S. HEIMANN & Co., 19A Canton Road. Tel. No. C. 1604.

Shipping Items

RIVER PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Loongwo left Hankow on Monday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Chungking left Hankow on Monday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung left Hankow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyu left Hankow yesterday and is Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Hunan left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Luenho left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Kungwo will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Luenyi will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangfoo will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Wuchang will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Hanyang left Hongkong on Monday and is due in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Yusang is due in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow today.

The C.N. s.s. Soochow left Hongkong on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai next Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Suiyang will leave Hongkong today and is due in Shanghai next Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinkong will leave Amoy for Foochow tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Waishing is due in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow on Sunday.

The I-C. s.s. Tungshing is due to leave Hongkong for Swatow and Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchi will leave Foothow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

NORTHERN PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Loksang left Newchwang for Dairen and Canton on Sunday.

The I-C. s.s. Cheongshing left Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei, Hongkong and Canton today.

The C.N. s.s. Szechuen left Tsingtao on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Tingsang is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Taisang is due in Shanghai from Tsingtao next Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Shuntien will leave Tientsin today and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei on Sunday.

The C.M. s.s. Yushun will leave Tientsin for Antung today.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinfung left Tientsin on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The D.K.K. s.s. Sakaki Maru will arrive in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao tomorrow morning, and is to dock at the Whangpoo Wharf. The steamer will sail for Tsingtao and Dairen at 11 o'clock Saturday morning.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Nagasaki Maru is due in Shanghai from Nagasaki today morning and will dock at the Wayside Wharf. The steamer is to sail for the same port early tomorrow morning.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Chikugo Maru is due on Shanghai from Yokohama and Yokkaichi tomorrow and will dock at the Wayside Wharf.

The P. and O. s.s. Soudan, from Bombay on July 7, left Hongkong at 7.30 a.m. yesterday morning, and is due to arrive in Shanghai about Saturday morning.

INDIAN LINES

The B.I. s.s. Janus left Calcutta on Sunday morning, July 15, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Rangoon and ports about August 8.

EUROPEAN LINES

The P. & O. s.s. Dongola left London at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon, July 6, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via ports about August 15.

The M.M. s.s. Andre Lebon was due to leave Marseilles on Friday, July 13, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on August 17.

The P. & O. s.s. Mantua was due to leave London on Friday and will arrive in Shanghai via ports about August 29.

The Ben Line s.s. Benlawers, from London, left Singapore on July 14 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai today.

The M.M. s.s. Angkor will sail from the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf for Marseilles via ports at 3 p.m. August 3, and passengers may embark at the wharf after 1 o'clock that afternoon.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kashima Maru will leave Shanghai for London via ports next Saturday, and the tender with outgoing passengers for the steamer will leave the Customs jetty at 8 a.m.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Pyrrhus left Singapore on Saturday, July 21, and is due in Shanghai via Hongkong on July 29.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Yangtsze left Hongkong on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai at daylight tomorrow morning.

The P. and O. s.s. Khiva will leave Yokoham tomorrow and arrives in Shanghai next Wednesday. The liner will sail for London via ports on Saturday, August 4.

The P. and O. s.s. Macedonia, from London on June 22, is expected to leave Hongkong at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, and arriving on Shanghai next Monday.

AMERICAN LINES

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Jessup is due in Shanghai from Portland on August 4, and will sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila August 6.

The Dollar s.s. M. S. Dollar left Singapore for New York on July 9.

The Dollar s.s. Esther Dollar left New York for San Francisco on Thursday, July 12.

The Dollar s.s. Stanley Dollar is due to leave New York for the Orient on August 8.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jackson, from Seattle on Juy 13, should arrive at Yokohama yesterday and is expected in Shanghai on July 30.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jefferson was due to leave Seattle yesterday and arriving in Shangha via Yokohama and Kobe on August 11.

The P.M. s.s. President Pierce is due to leave San Francisco today and is expected arrive in Shanghai via Honolulu, Yokohama and Kobe on August 15.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Australia is due to leave Vancouver today and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on August 12.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kaga Maru will leave Shanghai for Seattle via Japan ports next Saturday, and the tender with outgoing passengers for the vessel will leave the Customs jetty at 8 a.m.

The C.G.M.M. s.s. Canadian Transporter, from Vancouvr, left Kobe on Monday and is due in Shanghai today.

The S. & B. s.s. West Chopaka is due in Shanghai from San Francisco and Los Angeles on August 6, and will sail for Hongkong and Manila the following day.

The S. & B. s.s. West Carmona is due in Shanghai from San Francisco and Los Angeles on August 13, and will sail for Hongkong, Manila and Singapore the following day.

The P.M. s.s. President Cleveland, from San Francisco on July 13, should dock at Yokohama from Honolulu tomorrow and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Kboe on August 1.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Russia will arrive at Woosung from Vancouver and Japan ports at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon and is sailing for Hongkong at 10 a.m. Saturday. The tender with incoming passengers from the steamer is expected at the Customs jetty abut 3:30 p.m. tomorrow, and the tenders with outgoing passengers for Woosung will leave at 10:30 p.m. tomorrow and 8 a.m. Saturday.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Maru is due in Shanghai from Seattle and Japan ports tomorrow and will sail for Hongkong early Saturday morning.

Passengers Arrived

Per I—C. s.s. Kutwo from Hankow: Messrs. Holmes, Flynn, Mrs. Turner and child, Miss Chrisp.

Per N.S. s.s. Hsin Ningshao from Ningpo: Mr. H. B. Mackenzie.

Per C.N. s.s. Hsin Peking from Ningpo: Messrs. H.L. Gould, L. D. Kearny, Van Buskirk, West, Yeh.

Per C.M. s.s. Haean from Foochow: Mr. Blakey, Misses Johnsone, Brockett.

Per T.K.K. s.s. Tenyo Maru from San Francisco and ports: Hon. Mr. Chow Show Son, Miss F. Daip, Mrs. Anna E. Devereux, Miss Margaret and Master John Devereux, Messrs. K. Ehara, K. Hoshino, E. Imamura, Dr. S. Kawaguchi, Messrs. F. Kasnima, Y. and Y. Kawasaki, K. and T. Kawasaki, S. Konishi, Miss Elsa Kramer, Messrs. F. Okada, N. Onizuka, Dr. Chun Jien Pao, Mrs. C. J. Pao, Dr. R. A. Parker, Misses T.E. Peterson, D. B. Quelch, Dorothy St. Clair, Mrs. M. R. Sands, Miss Nell Sands, Mr. Chas. T. Vanderort, Misses Nell Walser, L. Wessel. Through for Hongkong: Messrs. George A. and James A Briggs, Miss Loraine M. Carey, Messrs. H.K. and J.K. Ounes, Miss Nora Powers. Mr. John Villarin.

Launch Services

TOMORROW

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Russia, for Hongkong will leave the Customs Jetty at 10:30 p.m.

Saturday, July 28, 1923

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Russia, for Hongkong will leave the Customs Jetty at 8 a.m.

The tender conveying passengers and mail on board the N.Y.K. s.s. Kashima Maru, for Europe will leave the Customs Jetty at 8 a.m.

The tender conveying passengers and mail on board the N.Y.K. s.s. Kaga Maru, for Seattle via Japan ports will leave the Customs Jetty at 8 a.m.

Sailed from Shanghai

FOR SAN FRANCISCO

Shinyo Maru	June 21
President Pierce	June 23
Siberia Maru	July 3
President Wilson	July 8
Taiyo Maru	July 19
President Lincoln	July 21

FOR VANCOUVER

Empress of Australia	July 2
Empress of Asia	July 14
Stuart Dollar	July 24

FOR SEATTLE

President Jackson	June 23
Ibukisan Maru	June 23
City of Spokane	June 28
President Jefferson	June 26
Pomona	July 3
Arabia Maru	July 7
President Grant	July 12
Arizona Maru	July 16
West Kader	July 18
President Madison	July 24

FOR PORTLAND, ORE.

West Jena	June 21
West Cayote	July 4
West O'Rowa	July 24

FOR NEW YORK

Shunko Maru	June 23
Wray Castle	July 7
Telemachus	July 10
Genoa Maru	July 12
Hamburg Maru	July 16
Langton Hall	July 20
Gothic Prince	July 21
Independence	July 22
Virginia Dollar	July 24

FOR UNITED KINGDOM

Teiresias	June 21
Delta	June 23
Gaelic Prince	June 24
Machaon	June 27
Cyclops	June 27
City of Corinth	June 27
Diomed	June 30
Glenapp	July
Rheesus	July 4
Malwa	July 7
Katori Maru	July 7
Troilus	July 11
Ningchow	July 13
Atsuta Maru	July 14
Glentara	July 17
Helenus	July 18
Devanha	July 21

FOR HAMBURG

Preussen	June 30
Tsuruga Maru	July 7
Alps Maru	July 10
Schlesien	July 10
City of Manchester	July 19
City of Pekin	July 24

FOR COPENHAGEN

Malaya	July 1
Panama	July 12

FOR ROTTERDAM

Oldekerk	July 14

FOR GOTHENBURG

Nippon	July 6

FOR MARSEILLES

Angers	June 27
Chili	July 6
Porthos	July 26

FOR TRIESTE

Fiume L.	June 29

FOR INDIA

Kutsang	June 21
Sicilia	June 26
Nagnore	July 14
Torilla	July 21
Hosang	July 25

Vessels Due

Africa Maru, *Seattle*	July 23
Angkor, *Yokohama*	Aug. 1
Benlawers, *London*	July 26
Chikugo Maru, *Yokohama*	July 27
Chungking, *Hankow*	July 26
Chusan, *Hongkong*	Aug. 2
C. of Boston, *London*	July 26
C. Transporter, *Vancouver*	July 26
Com. Dorise, *Europe*	July 26
E. of Canada, *Hongkong*	July 30
E. of Russia, *Vancouver*	July 27
Hsinchi, *Foochow*	July 29
Hanyang, *Hongkong*	July 26
Hunan, *Hankow*	July 28
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo*	July 27
Hsin Ningshao, *Ningpo*	July 27
Hsin Kiangteen, *Ningpo*	July 26
Hsinfung, *Tientsin*	July 27
Iyo Maru, *Seattle*	July 27
Kashima Maru, *Kobe*	July 26
Kiangfoo, *Hankow*	July 30
Kiangwha, *Hankow*	July 31
Kaga Maru, *Hongkong*	July 27
Kianghsin, *Hankow*	Aug. 2
Kiangteen, *Hankow*	July 27
Kungwo, *Hankow*	July 29
Khiva, *Yokohama*	Aug. 1
Kiangyu, *Hankow*	July 28
Loongwo, *Hankow*	July 26
Luenho, *Hankow*	July 28
Luenyi, *Hankow*	July 29
Macedonia, *London*	July 30
Nagasaki Maru, *Nagasaki*	July 26
Ngankin, *Hankow*	Aug. 1
Niigata Maru, *Hankow*	July 29
Pres. Jackson, *Seattle*	July 30
Pyrrhus, *Liverpool*	July 29
P. Hendry, *New York*	July 28
Pres. Cleveland, *S. Fancisco*	Aug. 1
Shanghai Maru, *Nagasaki*	July 30
Shantung, *Hongkong*	Aug. 1
Shuntien, *Tientsin*	July 29
Soochow, *Hongkong*	July 28
Soudan, *Bombay*	July 28
Sakaki Maru, *Dairen*	July 27
Shengking, *Hankow*	Aug. 2
Suiwo, *Hankow*	Aug. 1
Suiyang, *Hongkong*	July 30
Szechuen, *Tsingtao*	July 26
Taisang, *Tsingtao*	July 30
Tingsang, *Tientsin*	July 27
Tungchow, *Tientsin*	Aug. 1
Tungshing, *Hongkong*	Aug. 1
Tuckwo, *Hankow*	Aug. 2
Waishing, *Hongkong*	July 29
Woosung, *Hankow*	July 27
Wuchang, *Hankow*	July 30
Yangtsze, *Liverpool*	July 27
Yamashiro Maru, *Osaka*	July 29
Yusang, *Hongkong*	July 26
Yungshin, *Ningpo*	July 26

Meteorological Reports

July 26, 1923.

Sun rises today at 5.11
Sun sets today at 1.91

SICCAWEI

	July 20.		July 21.	
Barometer (inches)	29.78	29.82	29.79	29.80
Barometer (variation for 24 hrs.	†0.05	†0.03	†0.01	–0.02
at 32° F. (variation for 12 hrs.	0.00	0.00	†0.01	–0.02
Wind—direction	S	S	S	SSW
Wind—miles per hour	9.9	11.8	8.7	14.3
Temperature (Fahr.)	77°4	74°7	74°5	84°0
Humidity %	96	93	96	72
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	10	3	3	2
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	0.05	0.20	—	—

SICCAWEI ABRIGDED REPORT July 20.

	Mean 1923	24 hrs. Variation	Previous average same period
Total rainfall, since Jan. 1 to midnight before last (inches)	29.80	†0.05	29.70
Temperature (Min. 73°4) (Fahr.) (Max. 83°2)	78°3	–4°9	81°4
Rainfall (inches)	32.02	0.61	26.96

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E/Australia	Aug. 27	Sept. 12	E/Australia	Oct. 22	Nov.
E/Asia	Sept. 8	Sept. 24			

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Nikko Maru ..... July 28
Chikuma Maru ..... July 30
*Shanghai Maru ..... July 31
Yamashiro Maru ....Aug. 1
*Nagasaki Maru ..... Aug. 1
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Kashima Maru *.....July 23
*Mito Maru .....Aug. 3
*Tokushima Maru ....Aug. 4
Hakone Maru .....Aug. 11

FOR AUSTRALIA, from Hongkong.
Aki Maru .....Aug 15

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	KHIVA	Aug. 4
Calcutta—via Japan.	JANUS	Aug. 9
Calcutta—from Hongkong via Singapore and Penang.	JANUS	Aug. 30
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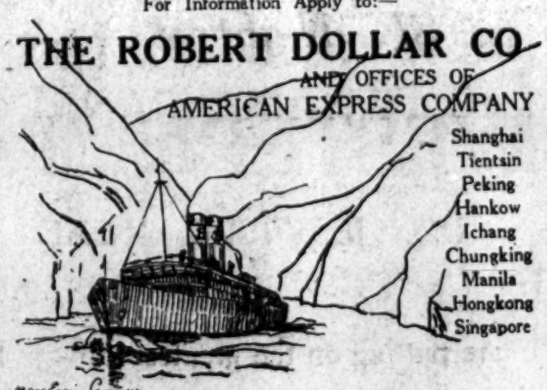

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TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
July 30	4 p.m.	E. of Canada	Vancouver	Aug. 13
July 30	9 p.m.	Yokohama M.	Seattle	

TO SOUTHERN PORTS, INDIA AND EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
July 27	9 p.m.	Kashima M.	Marseilles	Sep. 2
Aug. 3	12 noon	Angkor	Marseilles	Sep. 8
Aug. 4	1 p.m.	Khiva	Marseilles	Sep. 9

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	11 a.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	11 a.m.	via Chita
Tsingtao	Today	8.30 a.m.	Changchow
Chefoo	Today	8.30 a.m.	Kwangse
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Today	7.30 a.m.	Fausang
Tientsin	July 27	8.30 a.m.	Chekiang
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	July 28	9 p.m.	Fengtien
Tsingtao & Dairy	July 28	9.30 a.m.	Sakaki M.
Tsingtao	July 28	9.30 a.m.	Luchow
W'wei, Chefoo and T'tsin	July 29	9.30 a.m.	Tingsang
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	July 31	1.30 p.m.	Shuntien

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Amoy	Today	8.30 a.m.	Sunning
Foochow	Today	9 p.m.	Haean
Hongkong & Canton	July 27	8.30 a.m.	Liangchow
Swatow	July 27	9 p.m.	Esang
Hongkong & Canton	July 27	9 p.m.	Kashima Maru
Hongkong & Canton	July 27	9 p.m.	E. of Russia
Swatow	July 28	9.30 a.m.	Nanchang
Swatow	July 29	9.30 a.m.	Ssechuen
Swatow	July 31	11.30 a.m.	Soochow

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	11 a.m.	via Train
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train
Japan ports	Today	7 p.m.	Nagasaki M.
Japan ports	July 27	7 p.m.	Kaga Maru
Manila, Australia and N. Zealand	July 27	5 p.m.	E. of Russia
Japan ports	July 28	8 a.m.	Nikko Maru
Java ports	July 29	5 p.m.	Tjimanoek
Japan ports	July 30	7 p.m.	Shanghai M.

Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

July 28 8.00* Seattle	Kaga Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 30 — Vancouver	†E. of Canada	Br. B. & S.
July 31 — Seattle	Yokohama M	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 31 — Vancouver	C. Transporter	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Aug. 4 — San Francisco	†P. Taft	Br. C.P.S.
Aug. 5 — Seattle	†P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 6 — Portland	West Jessup	Am. Lumber Co.
Aug. 9 — New York via Suez	Teltybius	Br.
Aug. 10 — New York	Eelbeck	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 10 — New York	Delagoa Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Aug. 11 — Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
Aug. 15 — Vancouver	Harold Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Aug. 15 — New York	Alaska Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Aug. 16 — San Francisco	†Tenyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Aug. 17 — Seattle	†P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 18 — San Francisco	†P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Aug. 21 — Seattle	Africa Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Aug. 24 — San Francisco	Korea Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Aug. 25 — Vancouver	C. Highlander	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 27 — Vancouver	†E.of Australia	Br. C.P.S.
Aug. 29 — Seattle	†P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 30 — New York via Suez	Pyrrhus	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 1 — San Francisco	†P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Sep. 3 — New York	Wm. Penn	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sep. 4 — Seattle	Hawaii Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
Sep. 7 — San Francisco	Shinyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Sep. 8 — Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.
Sept. 10 — Seattle	†P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sep. 15 — San Francisco	†P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Sep. 18 — San Francisco	Siberia Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Sep. 20 — Vancouver	C. Freighter	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 29 — San Francisco	†P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
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July 27	—	Nagasaki	Nagasaki M	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 28	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Nikko M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 30	—	Nagoya, Yokohama	Chikugo M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 30	—	Kobe	London Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
July 31	—	Nagasaki	Shanghai M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
Aug. 1	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yamashiro M.	Jap. N.Y.K.

FOR EUROPE INDIA, STRAITS, ETC

July 26	—	Hamburg, etc.	Emil Kirdorf	Ger. H. S. Line
July 27	—	Liverpool	Perma	Br. B. & S.
July 28	—	London	Kashima Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Aug. 1	—	Hamburg, etc.	Tokushima M	Br. M.M. & Co.
Aug. 1	—	Rotterdam, etc.	Sarpendon	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 2	—	Bombay	Soudan	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 3	3.00	Marseilles	†Angkor	Fr. M. M. Cie
Aug. 3	—	Marseilles	Mito Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 4	—	Hamburg	Glenlffer	Br. G.L.E.A.
Aug. 4	—	Marseilles, etc.	Tokushima M	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 4	—	London	†Khiva	Br. M.M. & Co.
Aug. 4	—	Marseilles, etc.	Mito Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 5	—	Rotterdam, etc.	Saleier	Dut. H.C.T. Co.
Aug. 8	—	Hamburg, etc.	Rhexenor	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 9	—	Calcutta	Janus	Br. M. M. & Co.
Aug. 10	—	Hamburg	Carnarvonshire	Br. G.L.E.A.
Aug. 10	—	Liverpool, etc.	Titan	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 11	—	London	Hakone M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 12	—	Hamburg	Scheer	Ger. H.S. Line
Aug. 14	—	Singapore	W. Carmona	Am. S. & B.
Aug. 15	—	Hamburg, etc.	Leomedon	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 17	—	Marseilles	†Chambord	Fr M. M. Cie
Aug. 18	—	London	†Kashmir	Br. M. M. Co.
Aug. 27	—	Liverpol, etc.	Agamemnon	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 30	—	London, etc.	Patroclus	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 31	—	Marseilles	†Paul Lecat	Fr. M. M. Cie
Sep. 4	—	London	†Macedonia	Br. M.M. & Co.
Sep. 5	—	Hamburg, etc.	London Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sep. 5	—	Antwerp, etc.	Mentor	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 6	—	Rotterdam	Saparoea	Dut. H. C. T. Co
Sep. 12	—	Rotterdam, etc.	Agapenor	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 14	—	Marseilles	Andre Lebon	Fr. M.M. Cie
Sep. 15	—	Liverpool	Kt. Templar	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 18	—	London	Dongola	Br. M.M. & Co.
Sep. 28	—	Marseilles	†Amboise	Fr. M.M. Cie
Oct. 12	—	Marseilles	†Cordillere	Fr. M.M. Cie
Oct. 31	—	London	Teiresias	Br. B.& S.

FOR AUSTRALIA FROM HONGKONG

Aug. 4	—	Melbourne, etc.	†St. Albans	Br. M.M. & Co.
Aug. 15	—	Melbourne	†Aki Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Sept. 1	—	Melbourne, etc.	†Eastern	Br. M.M. & Co.
Oct. 6	—	Melbourne, etc.	†Arafura	Br. M.M. & Co.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

July 26	5.00	Ningpo	Hsin Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 26	10.00*	A. H'kong, C'ton	Sunning	Br. B. & S.
July 26	—	Keelung	Fukuken Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
July 26	5.00	Ningpo	Yungshin	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 27	4.45	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. B. & S.
July 27	5.00	Ningpo	Pain Ningshao	Chi. N. S. S. N.
July 27	10.00*	H'kong, C'ton	Liangchow	Br. B. & S.
July 27	—	Foochow	Haean	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 28	—	Hongkong	E. of Russia	Br. C. P. S.
July 28	D.L.	S. H'kong, Cton	Esang	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 28	4.00	Ningpo, Pootoo	Hsin Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 28	11.00*	S. H'kong, C'ton	Nanchang	Br. B. & S.
July 28	—	Hongkong	Iyo Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 29	—	Hongkong	Alaska Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
July 29	11.00*	A H'kong C'ton	Ssechuen	Br. B. & S.
July 30	—	Hongkong	Africa M.	Jap. O.S.K.
July 31	1.00	S. H'kong, C'ton	Soochow	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 1	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 3	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Aug. 4	—	Hongkong, Manila	Korea Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Aug. 6	—	Hongkong, Manila	West Jessup	Am. Lumber Co.
Aug. 7	—	Hongkong, Manila	W. Chopaka	Am. B. & S.
Aug. 12	—	Hongkong	E. of Australia	Br. C.P.S.
Aug. 13	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 14	—	Hongkong	W. Carmona	Am. S. & B.
Aug. 17	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Aug. 18	—	Hongkong, Manila	Shinyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Aug. 24	—	Hongkong	E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.
Aug. 25	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 31	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

July 26	9.00*	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Fausang	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 26	10.00*	Tsingtao	Changchow	Br. B. & S.
July 26	—	Newchwang	Toonan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 26	D.L.	Chefoo, N'chwang	Taksang	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 26	10.00*	N'chwang, D'ny	Kwangse	Br. B. & S.
July 27	10.00*	Tientsin	Chekiang	Br. B.& S.
July 28	11.00*	Tsingtao, Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap. D.K.K.
July 28	11.00*	Tsingtao	Luchow	Br. B. & S.
July 29	11.00*	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Tingsang	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 29	D.L.	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Fengtien	Br. B. & S.
July 31	3.00	W. C'foo, Ttsin	Shuntien	Br. B.& S.
Aug. 2	—	Hakodate	Tungus	Rus. S.H. & Co.
Aug. 4	—	Dairen	Seikyo Maru	Jap. O.S.K.

FOR RIVER PORTS

July 26	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	C. M. S. N. Co.
July 26	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br. B. & S.
July 26	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br. B. & S.
July 27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br. B. & S.
July 28	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br. B.& S.
July 30	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 30	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br. J.M. & Co.
July 30	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br. B. & S.
July 31	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiukiang	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 31	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Ruson	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 1	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangfoo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Aug. 1	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.
July 31	1.00	Pukow	Kanchow	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 2	M. N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Aug. 2	M. N.	Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Aug. 2	M. N.	Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br. B. & S.

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Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Nationality & Class
—	July 23	Algol	Fr. Gun-boat
B N B	July 6	Bee	Br. Gun-boat
F N B	July 19	Colmar	Fr. Cruiser
M C W	——	Cricket	Br. Gun-boat
M C W	Mar. 23	Mantis	Br. Gun-boat
I C	June 25	Quiros	Am. Gun-boat
U S N B	July 18	Sacramento	Am. Cruiser

Steamers Departed

July 25—Tuckwo for Hankow
July 25—Shengking for Hankow
July 25-Tehhsing for Hankow
July 25—Kianghsin for Hankow
July 25—Paling M. for H'kow
July 25—Tafoo M. for Hankow
July 25—Omi Maru for Japan
July 25—Gokensan M. for Wuhu
July 25—Kohoku M. for Dairen
July 25—Fujisan M. for Japan
July 25—Chambord for Japan
July 25—Shwahsing for N'chwang
July 25—Felching for Wenchow
July 25—Kwongsang for S. H. C.
July 25—Taisang for Tsingtao
July 25—Hosang for Calcutta via Japan
July 25Kiukiang for C. N'chwang
July 25—Kaiping for C'tao
July 25—Hsinchang for Tientsin
July 25Manila M. for Seattle
July 25—Kyokuto M. 2 for C'tao
July 25—Wosang for C. Antung
July 25—Tenyo M. for Hongkong
July 25—H. Peking for Ningpo
July 25—H. N'shao for Ningpo

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also

1 Remington No. 10 Typewriter
1 Gramophone With Cabinet and Records
1 Ice chest

On view Wednesday

MIDDLE SALESROOM

USEFUL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND SUNDRIES ETC.
On Friday July 27th 1923,
Commencing at 10 a.m.
Comprising:—

Double iron bedstead with wire mattress, Tile top teapoy, Teakwood washstand, Double spring sofa & Arm chairs, Teakwood chest of drawers, Commode with pan, Ice chest, white enamelled iron child's cot with mattress, Tin bath, Overmantle mirrors, Porcelain wash basin with iron stand, Round centre table, Large wardrobe, Piano stool, E. P. ware, Hall & Stair carpets, Electric table fan 200 Volts, Electric heating stove, Brass writing set, Reading lamp with shade, Kerosene oil table fan, Books & Novels, Pictures and sundries etc.

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A Large assortment of gent's & Lady's clothing, Boots, & shoes, etc., etc.

On View Thursday

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On Saturday July 28th 1923,
At 10 a.m.
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, CURIOS AND SUNDRIES
Comprising:—

Mahogany stained bevelled mirror back sideboard, Extension dining table with 2 leaves & dining chairs, Mirror back hat rack, Flower stand, Blue enamel wooden double bedstead with mattress, Blue enamel bevelled mirror dressing table, Blue enamel chest of drawers, & bed room chair, Teak drawing room chair, Fold up desk, Flat top desks, White enamel brass mounted brass twin bedstead with spring & other mattresses, Iron double & single bedsteads with wire & other mattresses, "Simmons", Child's cot with mattresses, Perambulator, Soochow curtains, washstands, Chest of drawers, Commode, Mahogany stained mirror door wardrobe, Ronco Duplicator, Microscope, Baby wicker crib & mattress, Baby Tricycle, Camphor wood trunk, Electric ceiling fan 200 V. & 110 V. Gramophone, Felt carpets, Axminster carpet, Records, "Venetian" Blinds, Sample Clocks, Tobacco pipes, safety Razors, Ladies' hand bags, New knives, Spoon & forks, E. P. Ware watches, Hall mirror, Heating stove, filter, Binoculars, Box camera, Silk Pongee 27" x 10 Yds, and Sundries Etc., Etc.

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On Monday, July 30th 1923.
At 10 a.m.
EXCELLENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS
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Hall, drawing room, Dining room, & Bed Rooms requisites

Mirror back hat and umbrella stand, jardiniere stand, bookcases, picture, carpets, double spring Chesterfield couch and easy chairs, centre table, mirror back sideboard, cellarette, extension dining table and chairs, flower stand, cloisonne, porcelain, and bronze vases and ornaments, coloured pictures, E. P., Glass, and crockery ware, bevel-edged mirror wardrobe, dressing table, washstand, chest of drawers, iron bedstead, curtains, bed linen, flower pots, linoleum, perambulator, geyser, books, etc., etc.

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Oakstained twin bedstead with bedding, white painted Bedroom Suite, Drill covered Couch and Arm chairs, Book Case, Writing Tables, Oakwood Dining Room Suite, Ice Chest, High Screen, Silk Embroidered Pictures, Wall Hanging, Glass Liquor Set, New Ladies Shoes, Electric Flat Irons, Dessert Knives, Spoons, Forks, Floor Matting, etc.

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THREE STEAMERS BRINGING MAIL DUE IN SHORTLY

Three mail boats, two from America and the other from Europe, will arrive in Shanghai within this month, and the only mail to leave for America during the remaining days will go on the Empress of Canada next Monday.

Bringing mail from Europe, the P. and O. Macedonia which comes from London, is expected to leave Hongkong at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, and is due to arrive in Shanghai next Monday.

The next mails from America will arrive on the Empress of Russia, from Vancouver tomorrow, and the President Jackson, from Seattle on Monday. The Jackson, which is expected to bring the heavier mail from the States, should dock at Yokohama yesterday.

With a full list of passengers, mail and freight as well, the Empress of Russia will arrive at Woosung at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, and sailing for Hongkong direct at 10 o'clock Saturday morning. Incoming passengers from the steamer are expected to land at the Customs jetty around 3.30 p.m. tomorrow.

Two tenders with outgoing passengers will leave for the Russia. The first one is to sail from the Customs jetty at 10.30 p.m. tomorrow, and the last tender will leave at 8 o'clock Saturday morning.

Both registed and ordinary mail for European ports via the Suez to go on the Kashima Maru will close at 9 o'clock tomorrow night. The tender conveying passengers to the steamer will leave the Customs jetty at 8 o'clock Saturday morning.

The Kaga Maru of N. Y. K. will sail from Shanghai for Seattle via ports next Saturday, and the outgoing tender with passengers will leave at 8 a.m.

The T. K. K. steamer Tenyo Maru which arrived at Woosung from San Francisco, Honolulu and Japan ports early yesterday morning, sailed for Hongkong in the evening. The Canadian Government liner Canadian Transporter, operated by B. and S., is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Vancouver and Japan ports today.

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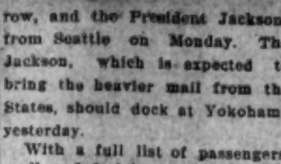

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BOARDING HOUSE KEEPER IS FINED IN MIXED COURT

Assessed $20 For Not Giving Information; Assault Charge Dismissed

A fine of $20 was imposed by Assessor Whitamore and Magistrate Loh of the Mixed Court yesterday upon Mrs. Selma Tuesova for failure to provide the police with a correct list of her boarders. The additional charge of assaulting a police officer, Sergeant Repas of Hongkew station, was dismissed on the evidence, and the court held that there was no evidence which could be accepted on the counter charge of asking for a bribe made against the officer.

Assessor Whitamore in giving his decision said the offense of not registering her boarders was not a very serious one. There was a regulation that insisted on this being done, but she did not do so. As regards the assault on the evidence before the Court if there was any assault it was a technical one, for she herself in her own evidence stated that she lost control of herself and so did not know what she did.

Assessor Whitamore stated that he wished to add that as regards the $25 which Sergeant Repas is alleged to have demanded from Mrs. Tuesova the evidence on this point was most conflicting. No court in the world or any jury could possibly accept the evidence in this connection. There was the allegation that the $25 was demanded under a threat to arrest.

In dealing with this point, the Assessor referred to the evidence of Mrs. Kliene, who stated that no such threat was made by Sergeant Repas. It was a very careful statement of witness, and would have to be accepted as very reliable. Mrs. Lankovsky, who was a good deal nearer the verandah on the occasion than Mrs. Kliene, said that all she heard was that "I will not give you a cent." a remark made by Mrs. Tuesova to Sergeant Repas.

Continuing, the Assessor stated that the Court considered that Mrs. Tuesova's statement that she lost control of herself was borne out by evidence.

In deciding the question of assault on Sergeant Repas, the Court although it took into consideration that Mrs. Tuesova had lost control of herself it was of the opinion that it was no justification for the Police officer to lose control of himself and use words of the description which the sergeant in his own evidence admitted he used. The charge of assault brought by the Police against Mrs. Tuesova would therefore fail. The Assessor added that he did not consider the charge made in that complaint was supported by any evidence that could be relied upon.

Mr. Roushkovsky appeared for Mrs. Tuesova, while Chief Inspector Reeves prosecuted.

The only witness yesterday was a boarder of the accused, Mrs. Lankovsky. She stated that she was attracted to the corridor by a noise, and inquired of Mr. Kliene what the scandal was. She did not know who was speaking, and Kliene in reply said it was not his wife's voice. She heard some talk about money and Mrs. Tuesova say: "I shall not give you any money, not even ten cents. Please let me alone. Please go out." She had been living in Mrs. Tuesova's boarding house for the past five months, and had not heard her complain before about Sergeant Repas. She had seen her on several occasions cry and when questioned by witness, Mrs. Tuesova would say it was due to some petty private business troubles.

Cross-examined by Inspector Reeves, the witness stated that as far as she could gather the conversation was about money. Mrs. Tuesova told the man that she would not give him any money. Repas said "Give me money," but she did not hear how much money he wanted. Asked whether she had heard obscene words the witness replied that she actually heard the word mentioned by Repas.

The Court expressed the opinion that the case on the evidence adduced was very simple and did not desire to hear counsel.

Mr. Rouskkovsky asked whether he would have to come before the Mixed Court in the charge of assault that Mrs. Tuesova wished to lay against Sergeant Repas.

The Assessor said that any application made with regard to this complaint he would have to dismiss as the evidence could not be relied upon.

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A large crowd greeted the Senator upon his return and many of them took it as an omen that his 'hat was in the ring' for the presidency when it blew overboard as the vessel was docking.

RIOTS IN INDIA

(Reuter's Service)

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